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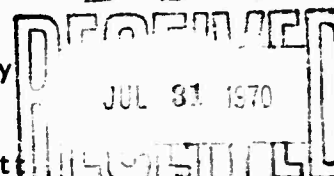
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ABSTRACT

This report covers an investigation of the hydrodynamic characteristics of a series of scale models of paddle wheels with fixed radial blades, designed for speeds in excess of 20 knots.

The results indicate that a six-bladed wheel has higher propulsive efficiency and thrust than a twelve-bladed wheel. Peak efficiency is in the neighborhood of 41 percent and occurs at slip values of 30 to 40 percent. Thrust increases with immersion depth, within the range tested (16 percent of the wheel diameter immersed). There is a slight break in the thrust curve over a span of 10-percent slip, after which the thrust again increases with increasing slip.

There is evidence of scale distortion, and it is felt that the present model, with a scale factor of 8.5 to 1, may have been too small.

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NOMENCLATURE

D	outside diameter of paddle wheel
Fr	Froude number , $\frac{V}{\sqrt{gD}}$
K _Q	torque coefficient
K _T	thrust coefficient
N	rotation speed of wheel (rpm)
Q	torque
T	thrust of paddle wheel
V	relative velocity between water and blade tip speed (!e., blade tip speed minus advance velocity of vehicle)
V _a	inlet or advance velocity (knots)
V _o	inlet or advance velocity (ft/sec)
V ₁	water velocity at wheel blade
V ₂	exhaust velocity
b	span (width) of blade
d	blade immersion , $\frac{D}{2} - h$
g	gravitational constant
h	height of wheel axis above free water surface
\dot{m}	mass flow rate of water
n	rotation speed of wheel (rps)
r	effective radius to midpoint of blade, $(\frac{D}{2} + h)^{1/2}$
s _r	slip , $1 - \lambda_1$

Subscripts

m model properties
p prototype properties

Greek Letters

η_p propulsive efficiency
 λ_1 advance ratio
 ρ mass density of water
 θ angle included by 1/2 immersed arc at radius r , $\cos \theta = \frac{h}{r}$

BACKGROUND AND INTRODUCTION

Historically, the use of paddle wheels of one form or another, to propel a vessel, can be traced back to the days of the Egyptian and Roman Empires. The use of paddle-wheel boats was first recorded in 1472, in the thesis "De Re Militari," by R. Valturius.

With the invention of the steam engine and later the diesel engines -- both of which were low-speed devices and hence well suited to then current designs -- the state of the art progressed. By the 1880's the wheel designs had reached a high state of development. A 246-ft long vessel of the BELLE type, built for use on the Thames River, achieved a measured peak propulsive efficiency of almost 60 percent, at a speed of 12 knots over a measured mile.^{1,2,3} The cross-channel packets of 1880-1890 were paddle propelled, and two of these ships, the PRINCESS HENRIETTA and the PRINCESS JOSEPHINE, which were 300-ft long, attained measured-mile speeds of 21 knots.

Studies of paddle wheel-propelled vessels⁴⁻⁹ have revealed that they were successfully used in shallow draft, weed-infested areas. They fell into disuse over the years, for a variety of reasons. The principal reasons are listed below.

- (1) The variable immersion of the paddle wheel under different ship-loading conditions inhibited use on cargo vessels.
- (2) The alternating rise and fall of the wheels at the water level, while the ship was rolling, created a differential thrust or yaw moment, causing the ship to follow an irregular course.
- (3) The low speed of paddle wheels required large gear reductions if high-speed prime movers were to be used.
- (4) By the time experimenters began systematic model tests and general research in the area of propulsion, the paddle wheel had in most instances been replaced by the screw propeller (as a result, the paddle

wheel has been treated as a specialized item, and published data on design parameters and model experiments are not only very difficult to find but are generally incomplete).

Only a limited amount of significant research has been conducted on paddle wheels, since the early 1900's. A summary and analysis of conventional paddle wheels was published recently by Gerbers, Volpich, and Krappinger.^{1,2,3,5,6} They based their study on a series of open-water model tests (there was no ship hull in front of the wheel). Below are two general conclusions that may be drawn from their work:

- (1) The propulsive efficiency of a wheel with feathering paddles can be as high as 80 percent. In practice, however, this efficiency falls closer to 50-60 percent, which is what can be expected from well-designed propellers and is much higher than can be expected from water jets. Wheels with fixed radial blades may be approximately 10 percent lower in efficiency than the feathering type.
- (2) Efficiency, thrust, and torque generally increase in proportion to rotational speed, up to a slip of approximately 35 percent. At this point, a breakdown in efficiency occurs due, probably, to the losses which accompany entrance and exit of the paddles and to their mutual interference. However, thrust continues to climb with slip.

In recent years, there has been an accelerated development of small high-speed craft for operation in inland waterways. These craft will be able to negotiate the swamps, marshes, and tall grasses that often border these areas, and also operate in open coastal waters. Operational experience in such environments has demonstrated the need for a simple, shallow-draft, weed-free propulsion system for use on such craft. A renewed interest in paddle wheels has developed, as evidenced by the testing currently under way in Europe and the United States.

A few conceptual studies of slow-speed paddle wheels have been conducted.^{4,7} Although these paddle wheels have proven quite successful in grass and marsh, they have not been able to generate high speeds in open water, mounted (as they usually were) on craft with displacement-type

hulls. Screw propellers are efficient and provide good maneuverability, but are easily fouled by weeds and require a moderate draft. Axial-flow jet pumps provide good maneuverability and require only a shallow draft, but they are vulnerable to weed ingestion and their low efficiency requires large installed-power levels with the attendant weight, space, and noise penalties.

It seems apparent that a paddle wheel of small diameter, with high rotational speed, can be effectively applied to a planing-hull patrol boat of shallow draft. It is not difficult to imagine a high-speed stern wheel operating entirely within the boundary layer, close behind a planing craft where inflow conditions are constant (perhaps even controllable by transom-mounted flaps). The stern-wheel propulsion device would be of the fixed radial-blade type and would be ventilated at high speeds. Instead of having spokes or support arms, the blades would extend from a large central hub and would be supported by concentric discs or end plates. This configuration is simple and rugged and will resist fouling by weeds. The end discs and the blade ends could be used for support during operation in the land environment.

The disadvantages of the paddle wheel will not apply in this case, since --

- (1) A patrol boat will generally be operating near a single loading condition, and variable immersion of the paddle wheel would not present a problem.
- (2) The paddle wheel of a patrol boat will be operating in the wake aft of the transom of a planing hull, and the paddle wheel therefore will not experience differential submersion due to roll motion.
- (3) Any speed-reduction problem that is likely to arise can be overcome by the application of modern lightweight power-transmission designs.

OBJECTIVES OF THIS PROGRAM

The basic objectives of this program were as follows:

- (1) To determine, by means of systematic model experiments, the hydrodynamic characteristics of a series of paddle-wheel propulsive devices with fixed radial blades.
- (2) To determine the feasibility of applying the high-speed paddle wheel to a high-speed planing hull of shallow draft.
- (3) To develop and extend paddle-wheel design parameters for high-speed use.

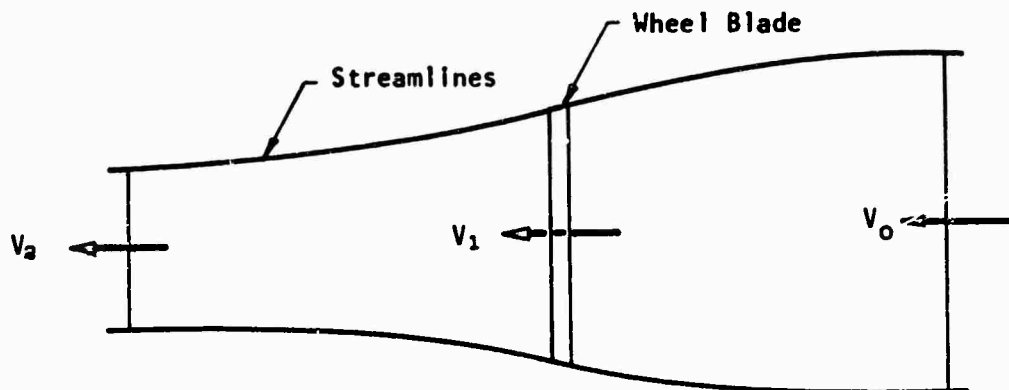
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ANALYSIS

To obtain some paddle-wheel performance data in the high-speed range (i.e., high advance velocity and wheel revolutions), a simplified analysis of the wheel dynamics was performed. Scale-model relationships were derived for the paddle wheel so that the results of the model tests could be related to prototype sizes. The analysis is based on an "ideal" situation and does not take into account such factors as turbulence, cavitation, ventilation, splash, etc. It does, however, yield an upper limit for the expected performance characteristics of the paddle wheel and a means of comparing actual model-wheel operating conditions with the "ideal."

WHEEL DYNAMICS

From momentum theory, thrust can be defined in terms of water inlet and exhaust velocities and wheel geometry (see Nomenclature for definition of symbols).



Utilizing the momentum equation, we write

$$T = \dot{m}\Delta V = \dot{m}(V_2 - V_0) \quad (1)$$

$$= \rho b d V_1 (V_2 - V_0) \quad (2)$$

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But shaft work is represented by

$$TV_1 = V_1 \dot{m}(V_2 - V_0)$$

which is equal to the change in the kinetic energy of the fluid, or

$$\frac{1}{2} \dot{m}(V_2^2 - V_0^2) \quad (3)$$

Therefore

$$V_1 = \frac{V_2^2 - V_0^2}{2(V_2 - V_0)} = \frac{V_2 + V_0}{2} \quad (4)$$

Substituting Eq. (4) into Eq. (2), we get

$$T = \rho b d \frac{V_2 + V_0}{2} (V_2 - V_0) = \frac{1}{2} \rho b d (V_2^2 - V_0^2)$$

Rearranging, we have

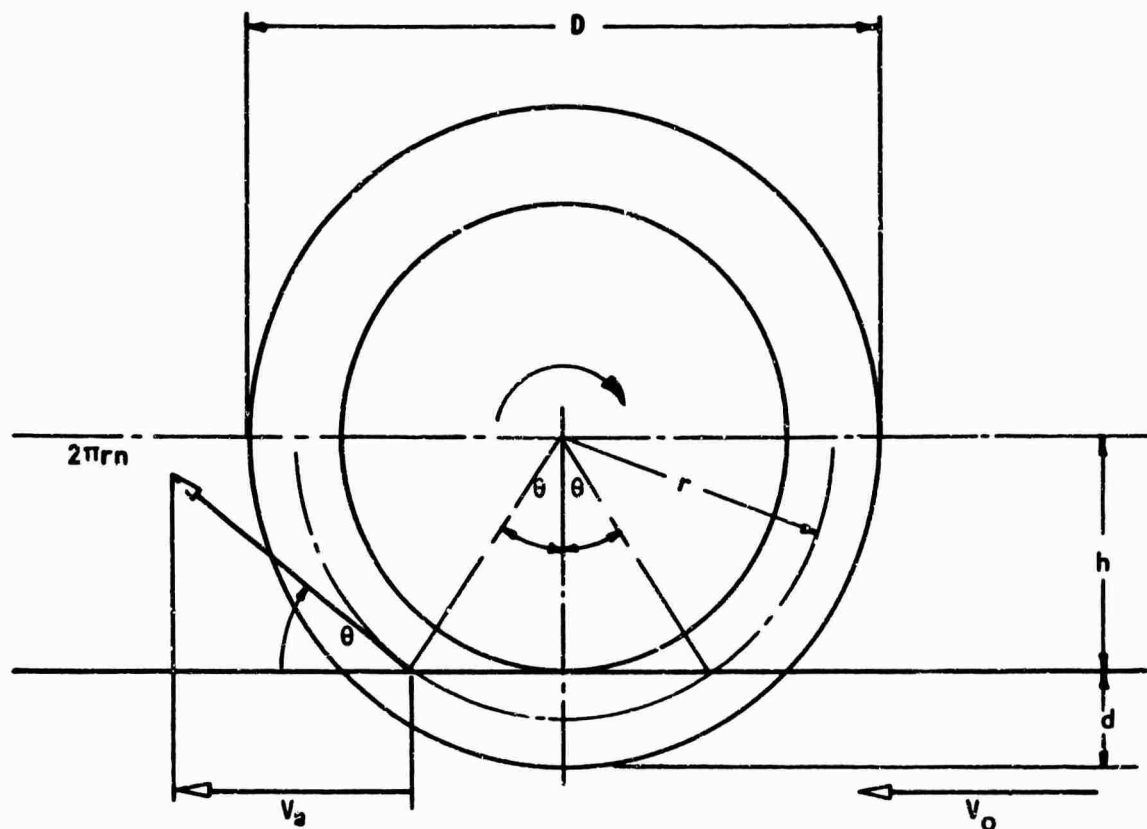
$$V_2 = \left[\frac{2T}{\rho b d} + V_0^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}} \quad (5)$$

If we assume that the downstream velocity vector of the water leaving the blade is tangent to the blade arc, as shown in the sketch on the next page, we may write the relationship of the wheel rotational speed, the water exhaust velocity, and the angle θ as shown below (Eq. [6]).

$$\begin{aligned} V_2 &= 2\pi r n \cos \theta \\ &= 2\pi h n \end{aligned} \quad (6)$$

Transposing, we obtain

$$n = \frac{V_2}{2\pi h}$$



A conservative approximation of torque, in terms of thrust, is

$$\begin{aligned}
 Q &= \frac{Tr}{\cos \theta} \\
 &= \frac{Tr^2}{h}
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{7}$$

Solving for efficiency, we write

$$\begin{aligned}
 \eta_p &= \frac{TV_o}{2\pi nQ} \\
 &= \left(\frac{V_o}{V_a}\right)\left(\frac{h}{r}\right)^2
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{8}$$

It will be noted that efficiency is proportional to the ratio of the inlet and exhaust velocities and is very sensitive to the ratio of the height of the paddle axis to the effective radius.

Although this analysis is, admittedly, rather simplified, it nevertheless serves to indicate that efficient paddle-wheel propulsion systems can be designed within practical limitations, using existing power-transmission equipment (see Appendix A).

SCALE-MODEL RELATIONSHIPS

Scale-model relationships were derived in order to have some rational method of selecting a wheel size and to make possible the correlation of the results with results for prototype wheels and earlier studies.

Since frictional effects are considered small as compared with inertial forces, we choose to scale by Froude Number, Fr , where

$$Fr = \frac{V}{\sqrt{gD}}$$

Let V be the relative velocity between water and blade-tip speed (i.e., blade-tip speed minus advance velocity of vehicle). Then

$$Fr = \frac{\pi n D - V_o}{\sqrt{gD}}$$

Let $\lambda = D_p/D_m$, the scale factor. Then for equal Froude number,

$$\left(\frac{\pi n D - V_o}{\sqrt{gD}} \right)_{\text{model}} = \left(\frac{\pi n D - V_o}{\sqrt{gD}} \right)_{\text{prototype}} \quad (9)$$

$$\frac{\pi n_m D_m}{\sqrt{D_m}} - \frac{V_{om}}{\sqrt{D_m}} = \frac{\pi n_p D_p}{\sqrt{D_p}} - \frac{V_{op}}{\sqrt{D_p}}$$

and therefore

$$\pi \left[n_m \sqrt{D_m} - n_p \sqrt{D_p} \right] = v_{om} / \sqrt{D_m} - v_{op} / \sqrt{D_p} \quad (10)$$

Or, on substituting the relationship for the scale factor into Eq. (10), we can write

$$\pi \sqrt{D_m} (n_m - \sqrt{\lambda} n_p) = 1 / \sqrt{D_m} (v_{om} - v_{op} / \sqrt{\lambda}) \quad (11)$$

To fix the model, we choose to make both sides of Eq. (11) equal to zero. Then the linear water speed or advance velocity is

$$v_{op} = \sqrt{\lambda} v_{om} \quad (12)$$

and the rotational speed is

$$n_m = \sqrt{\lambda} n_p \quad (13)$$

From dimensional analysis, the thrust forces may be expressed as

$$T_m = \frac{T_p}{\lambda^3} \quad (14)$$

Since $Q_p = F_p L_p = \lambda^3 F_m \lambda L_m = \lambda^4 Q_m$

torque may be represented by

$$Q_m = \frac{Q_p}{\lambda^4} \quad (15)$$

and since

$$P_p = \frac{F_p L_p}{T_p} = \frac{\lambda^3 F_m \lambda L_m}{\sqrt{\lambda} T_m} = \lambda^{7/2} P_m$$

power can be written

$$P_m = \frac{P_p}{\lambda^{7/2}} \quad (16)$$

Efficiency is expressed as

$$\eta_p = \eta_m \quad (17)$$

A calculation of the forces expected from a scale model are given in Appendix A.

MODEL AND APPARATUS

PADDLE-WHEEL MODEL

On the basis of the scale-model analysis and in consideration of the test facility's limitations, it was decided that the paddle-wheel model should have an outside diameter of 5 inches and be 5-in. wide. The scale model was a radial wheel with fixed paddles and end plates (Fig. 1). Two paddle wheels were constructed. Their dimensions were identical, but one had six blades and the other had twelve blades. To reduce cavitation and entrapped air, holes one-half inch in diameter were drilled in the end plates between the blades. The wheel was driven by a $\frac{1}{2}$ -hp d-c motor in a closed-loop servo. The speed of the motor was measured by a d-c tachometer and fed back to the control amplifier. Speeds were set on a ten-turn dial and checked with an electronic strobe light.

The entire wheel, drive, motor, and tachometer assembly was mounted on a three-component balance system. The balance system was set up to measure the torque, thrust, and lift produced by the paddle wheel. Preliminary data showed the lift component to be negligible, and the lift element was therefore removed to reduce vibration and noise in the over-all recording system.

The entire assembly, including paddle wheel, drive, tachometer, torque balance, thrust balances, and the necessary counter-balance weights, was mounted on a base plate. The base plate had screws for leveling, raising, or lowering, and served as a means of clamping the entire assembly into the test section of the water channel (Fig. 2). A height-adjustable, flat-bottomed plate, simulating a boat planing hull, was mounted just forward of the paddle wheel. This plate provided a flow to the wheel similar to that which would appear on a moving boat, and served as the reference line from which paddle immersions were measured.

WATER CHANNEL

Tests were conducted in the Davidson Laboratory's variable-pressure free-surface water channel (Fig. 3). This facility has a 6-ft-long test section 13-in. wide and 13-in. deep, with a 7-in. water depth. The maximum water speed is 18 fps. The water channel can be completely closed and operated at reduced pressures (in which case it would be referred to as a water tunnel), but this was not required for the present study. The photograph shows that the return section and pump are located on the right. The water flows in a clockwise direction up to the contraction nozzle located just forward of the test section. The test section has windows on both sides for almost the entire length. The two hand wheels can be used to tilt the floor of the test section, to reduce the standing waves which develop at certain water velocities.

The paddle wheel, planing hull, and balances were inserted through the top of the channel and positioned midway in the test section. The water, after passing to the rear of the paddle wheel, was collected in the upper right-hand separating chamber. The main stream of water was deflected down into the return section. The upper portion of the separating section skimmed off the turbulent and aerated water and allowed it to settle before it flowed back to the return section.

The various pressure taps and the manometer bank are not shown in the photo. A 4-ft high platform provides a work area and serves as an observation post.

INSTRUMENTATION

Force Balances and Electronic Recording Equipment (Fig. 4)

The force balances are designed around specially machined spring flexures which introduce almost no cross-coupling or hysteresis when properly used. For each force input, the spring flexures allow a given displacement which is sensed and measured by linear variable differential transformers (LVDT).

The output from the torque and thrust balance LVDT's was fed to a Sanborn carrier amplifier (350-1100) and recorder. To reduce distortion and overloading, due to vibration and the impact noise superimposed on the steady-state readings, the carrier amplifiers were set at very low gain. This was done so that the composite signal would be passed without asymmetrical clipping. After the signal was demodulated and fed to the d-c output, it was filtered to remove the unwanted vibration and noise, leaving the steady-state d-c level. This signal was then fed to a Sanborn d-c amplifier (350-1000), where it was amplified to drive an 8-in. Minneapolis-Honeywell Visicorder. Each signal channel was adjusted to give 7-in. chart deflection for full-scale torque and thrust.

The thrust and torque calibrations were fixed by using weights in a line and pulley arrangement to apply a known force to the paddle wheel and blade.

Paddle-Wheel and Water Speed Control

Constant paddle-wheel speed was maintained by means of a tachometer attached to the drive motor shaft. The output of the tachometer was fed to the control amplifier as one of two summing inputs. The other input was from a 10-turn speed-control potentiometer. When this speed-control potentiometer was adjusted, it supplied a fixed voltage reference, unique to that particular speed setting. To balance the amplifier input the tachometer had to be driven to a voltage level very near the speed reference voltage but of opposite sign. When the two voltages were balanced, the wheel speed remained constant even over fairly large increases or decreases in load.

A similar summing input and amplifier arrangement was used for the speed control on the water channel. The drive-motor armature voltage was sampled and summed with the reference from the speed-control potentiometer. For the final control, a General Electric Thymotrol was used to supply armature current. The inertia of the large mass of water, and the fact that only a relatively small amount of energy from the model was available to accelerate the water, combined to keep the channel velocity constant over large changes of model speed.

Water-Channel Speed Measurement

The water velocity was evaluated by measuring the difference in static pressure at the entrance and outlet of the nozzle. The taps in the side of the channel were connected to manometer tubes, calibrated in millimeters of water. Thus,

$$V(\text{ft/sec}) = \frac{0.145}{3.281} \sqrt{h(\text{mm})}$$

based on a contraction ratio of 1:4 in the nozzle. Results obtained with the manometer tubes and static-pressure taps were checked with a Prandtl tube mounted in the test section of the channel, and were found to be valid.

TEST PROGRAM AND TEST PROCEDURE

Four experimental variables were involved in the test program: Immersion depth (d), wheel speed (n), water velocity or advance velocity (V_0), and the number of blades on the paddle wheel.

The test points for each variable were --

V_0 : 3.6, 4.6, 5.4, and 7.7 fps

d : 0.3, 0.5, and 0.8 in.

N : up to 1600 rpm in increments of 100 rpm

Number of blades: 12 and 6

The wheel was tested for all combinations of the above variables; and the thrust, torque, wheel speed, wheel immersion, and water velocity were recorded.

The test sequence was as follows:

- (1) Select a water velocity (V_0).
- (2) Select an immersion depth (d).
- (3) Vary wheel speed (n), throughout the range and record the thrust, torque, N , and V_0 .
- (4) Repeat step (3) with a different V_0 until the range of V_0 is covered.
- (5) Repeat steps 1 to 4 with a different d until the range of d is covered.
- (6) Repeat steps 1 to 5 with the next model paddle wheel having a different number of blades.

FORMULAS FOR DATA ANALYSIS

From the data obtained in the model tests, various dimensional and non-dimensional parameters were calculated. For convenience, these were programmed to be run on an IBM 360/40 computer. Program and data are given in Appendix B.

The input data consisted of --

Number of blades
Wheel diameter , D (in.)
Blade immersion depth , d (in.)
Ratio of d/D
Advance velocity , V_0 (fps)
Wheel speed , N (rpm)
Wheel thrust , T (lbs)
Torque input , Q (ft-lb)

Two similar sets of parameters were calculated for purposes of analysis and comparison with results reported in the literature. These sets are labeled Method 1 and Method 2.

METHOD 1

$$n(\text{rps}) = \frac{N(\text{rpm})}{60}$$

$$h = \frac{D}{2} - d$$

$$\lambda_1 = \frac{12 V_0}{\pi n D} = \text{advance ratio (not the scale factor)}$$

$$K_T = \frac{T(12)^4}{\rho n^2 D^4} = \text{thrust coefficient}$$

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$$K_Q = \frac{Q(12)^5}{\rho n^2 D^5} = \text{torque coefficient}$$

$$Fr = \frac{\pi}{\sqrt{12g}} n \sqrt{D} = \text{Froude number based on wheel speed}$$

$$s_r = (1 - \lambda_1) = \text{slip}$$

$$\eta_p = \frac{K_T \lambda}{K_Q \frac{\lambda}{2}} = \text{propulsive efficiency}$$

METHOD 2

$$\frac{T}{\rho D^3} (12)^3 = \text{a frequently used thrust parameter}$$

$$\frac{Q}{\rho D^4} (12)^4 = \text{a frequently used thrust parameter}$$

$$V_a = 0.5921 V_o \text{ (knots)}$$

$$\frac{V_a}{\sqrt{D/12}} = \text{a frequently used velocity parameter}$$

$$\sqrt{N \frac{D}{12}} = \text{a frequently used velocity parameter}$$

$$N \sqrt{\frac{D}{12}} = \text{a frequently used velocity parameter}$$

$$\eta_p = \frac{T V_o}{Q N} \frac{5252}{550} = \text{propulsive efficiency}$$

$$s_{r \text{ eff}} = \frac{n\pi(\frac{D}{2} + h) - 12 V_o}{n\pi(\frac{D}{2} + h)} = 1 - \frac{12 V_o}{n\pi(\frac{D}{2} + h)} = \text{effective slip}$$

RESULTS

The preliminary tests showed a high torque input to the wheel, with a corresponding low thrust, which resulted in a low propulsive efficiency. It was believed that there was insufficient venting of the cavity formed between adjacent blades and that an "air pocket" was being formed that prevented the water from filling the cavity. Vent holes 0.5 inch in diameter were therefore drilled into the side plates between adjacent blades. These vent holes insured sufficient ventilation and improved the performance slightly over some ranges of operation.

The test results for the final configuration are presented in graphical form (Figs. 5 to 49). The computer program used to calculate the various dimensional and non-dimensional parameters, and the test data and performance parameters, are given in Appendix B.

The primary results are shown in Figs. 5 to 16 as thrust and torque versus wheel speed, with advance velocity, blade immersion depth, and number of blades as changing parameters. Comparison of Fig. 5 with 6, 7 with 8, and 9 with 10 (these are plots of thrust versus wheel speed for three different immersion depths) indicates that the six-bladed wheel usually generates more thrust than the twelve-bladed wheel. This can also be seen quite clearly in Figs. 11 to 13, which are composites of Figs. 5 to 10. A similar comparison of Fig. 14 with 15, 16 with 17, and 18 with 19 shows that the torque is also larger for the six-bladed wheel.

An interesting feature that should be noted on almost all the figures is the apparent break in the thrust and torque curves which occurs at high advance velocities.

Figures 20 to 25 are plots of thrust versus effective slip for various advance velocities, blade immersion depths, and number of wheel blades. Here, also, thrust can be seen to increase smoothly with increasing slip. At the higher advance velocity, however, there is a thrust "breakdown" which occurs at about 40-percent slip. This breakdown appears to occur

over a span of about 10 percent in slip, after which the thrust again continues to increase with increasing slip.

Similar breakdown phenomena have been reported in the literature,^{1,2} but no satisfactory explanation of why this phenomena occurs is available. By comparing Fig. 20 with 21, 22 with 23, and 24 with 25, it can readily be seen that this phenomenon is more pronounced in the case of the six-bladed wheel.

It can also be noted, in Figs. 20 to 25, that the thrust curves do not go to zero for zero effective slip. This is because of the "form" drag of the wheel itself, and other losses. Comparison of the curves for different blade immersions shows that for smaller immersions (i.e., $d = 0.5$, 0.3) the thrust at zero slip more closely approaches zero, which is to be expected since there is less wheel in the water and hence less loss.

Figures 26 to 31 are plots of propulsive efficiency versus wheel speed at various advance velocities, blade immersion depths, and number of wheel blades. Figures 32 to 37 are plots of the same data versus effective slip. Comparison of the figures shows that the six-bladed wheel also has a higher efficiency than the twelve-bladed wheel, with the maximum efficiency occurring in the vicinity of 30- to 40-percent slip. The maximum value of propulsive efficiency achieved is 41 percent, which is in agreement with some of the more recent literature,¹⁰ but considerably lower than that presented in some earlier reports.^{1,2} The efficiency curve is very "peaky"; that is, the high values of efficiency occur over a rather narrow range, then fall off sharply. The twelve-bladed wheel usually develops its maximum efficiency at a slip value that is somewhat higher than that for the six-bladed wheel.

Figures 26 to 37 show that the peak efficiencies increase with increasing immersion. This result is not what would normally be expected, and a completely satisfactory explanation is not available. A partial explanation may be that the "form" drag of the wheel does not vary linearly with immersion depth and may affect the ratio of net thrust to input torque in such a manner as to produce a maximum efficiency for some value of immersion depth above which the efficiency may again decrease. It is also of interest to note that all the efficiency curves, regardless

of blade immersion depth or number of wheel blades, join to form a single line at slip values above 70 percent.

Figures 38 to 49 present the test data as functions of torque coefficient and thrust coefficient, common parameters utilized by naval architects.

PREDICTION OF PROTOTYPE PERFORMANCE

If we choose as our prototype a small "jeep size" vehicle having a planing type hull, we can estimate quite accurately the power required to propel it at any given speed. The model paddle wheel test results can then be scaled up to match the vehicle.

Assume that the prototype characteristics are:

Overall length = 18 ft

Width (beam) = 5 ft

Gross weight = 4000 lb

Center of gravity location = 7.5 ft from bow

Deadrise = 15 degrees

Hull type = planing

The Davidson Laboratory "SPDBOT Program"¹¹ will then predict the drag versus speed curve shown in Figure 50. As a compromise between wheel size and efficiency, we have selected a 4 ft diameter wheel, 4 ft wide, with six paddles.

From dimensional analysis

$$\lambda = \frac{D_p}{D_m} = \frac{4}{5.0/12} = 9.6$$

$$N_p = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\lambda}} N_m = 0.323 N_m \quad (18)$$

$$T_p = \lambda^3 T_m = 884 T_m \quad (19)$$

$$V_{op} = \sqrt{\lambda} V_{om} = 3.095 V_{om} \quad (20)$$

$$P_p = \frac{\lambda^{7/2}}{5252} Q_m N_m = 0.0436 Q_m (\text{in-lb}) N_m (\text{rpm}) \quad (21)$$

For ease of discussion, we shall scale down the full-scale drag versus speed curve of the prototype from Figure 50 to match that of the model test results. To do this, we divide the drag values by λ^3 and the speed values by $\sqrt{\lambda}$. We now have a curve of drag (or thrust) versus speed which we can match with experimental test data from the 5 inch model paddle wheel, Figure 51. In Figure 51, lines of thrust versus advance velocity for constant wheel speed have been added to illustrate the reserve capability of the wheel.

By determining the required thrust at 3.6, 4.6, 5.4, and 7.7 fps from Figure 51, we can determine from figures 5, 14, and 26, the required wheel operating conditions (T_m , N_m , Q_m , η_p and horsepower) to match the prototype requirements. Substituting these values of model wheel operating conditions into equations 18, 19, 20 and 21 gives us the operating conditions of the prototype vehicle and wheel.

From Figure 51 we see that the model operating conditions which match the model advance velocity of 7.7 fps are

$$\begin{aligned} T_m &= 0.660 \text{ lb} \\ N_m &= 620 \text{ rpm} \\ V_{o_m} &= 7.7 \text{ fps} \\ Q_m &= 3.40 \text{ in-lb} \\ \eta_p &= 26 \text{ percent} \end{aligned}$$

Substituting these values into equations 18, 19, 20 and 21 yields the following prototype conditions:

$$\begin{aligned} N_p &= 200 \text{ rpm} \\ T_p &= 58811 \text{ lb} \\ V_{o_p} &= 14.1 \text{ knots} = 16.3 \text{ miles/hour} \\ \text{Required horsepower shaft} &= 92 \text{ hp} \end{aligned}$$

These values are well within the realm of practicality for a usable reconnaissance vehicle.

From the dynamic analysis on page 7, the following equation was generated for the thrust of a paddle wheel.

$$T = \frac{1}{2} \rho b d (V_a^2 - V_o^2) = \frac{1}{2} \rho b d [(2\pi n r)^2 - V_o^2]$$

If we take the same data from page 26 ($d = 0.8$ in., $V_o = 7.7$ fps, $b = 5.0$ in., and $n = 10.3$ and 16.7 rps), we get

$$T = 0.0269 [84.2 - 59.3] = 0.67 \text{ lb for } n = 10.3$$

and

$$T = 0.0269 [221 - 59.3] = 4.35 \text{ lb for } n = 16.7$$

Under these operating conditions, however, our model generated a thrust of 0.665 lb and 1.0 lb which indicates that the simplified analysis gives good agreement (0.665 lb vs. 0.67 lb) provided the wheel speed is sufficiently slow so that cavitation and/or ventilation does not occur. When the wheel speed is sufficiently high to cavitate and/or ventilate, the simplified analysis predicts results which are quite optimistic (4.35 lb vs. 1.00 lb).

The measured test data does not extend above a prototype speed of 16.3 mph for the vehicle size chosen. However, it can be seen in Figure 50 that the drag curve is fairly flat at the speeds near to 42 fps (29 mph). It is therefore reasonable to assume that the paddle wheel will be able to provide the required thrust for speeds near 30 mph with somewhat greater horsepower. Figure 52 is a simplified concept drawing of a possible configuration of a high speed amphibious reconnaissance vehicle utilizing a paddle wheel propulsion system.

CONCLUSIONS

- (1) There is a considerable amount of mechanical vibration in the system, because of the impact loading of the paddle wheel. This must be filtered out. Special procedures must be employed, when using filters, to eliminate the noise in the thrust and torque signals and ensure that asymmetrical "clipping" of the signals in the amplifiers does not occur.
- (2) The six-bladed wheel generates more thrust than the twelve-bladed wheel.
- (3) The six-bladed wheel is significantly more efficient than the twelve-bladed wheel.
- (4) Maximum efficiency occurs at about 30- to 40-percent slip for the six-bladed wheel and at about 50-percent slip for the twelve-bladed wheel.
- (5) Thrust and efficiency increase with increasing immersion depth, within the range of immersions tested ($d/D = 0.06$ to 0.16).
- (6) A maximum propulsive efficiency of 41 percent was obtained with the six-bladed wheel.
- (7) There is a break in the thrust curves, in the region of 30- to 50-percent slip, which spans about 10-percent slip (Figs. 19 to 24). It is most noticeable on the six-bladed wheel and occurs at high advance velocities. A satisfactory explanation has not been found. However, it is felt that the break may be due to some type of flow instability or wave interference.
- (8) There appears to be some type of flow phenomenon which more seriously affects a wheel of small diameter than a wheel of large diameter. This is especially noticeable in comparing the efficiency curves with those obtained by other experimenters who used a wheel of larger diameter.^{1, 2, 10} The

curve for the small wheel may have the same peak value of efficiency, but it occurs over a narrow range and falls off sharply.

- (9) Because of the relatively high peak efficiency found in this series of experiments, the application of a high-speed paddle wheel to a planing hull of shallow draft is deemed feasible.

RECOMMENDATIONS

A design study of a small, high-speed vessel propelled by a paddle wheel should be undertaken. On the basis of the results of this study, a small prototype could be built, instrumented, and tested.

To avoid possible deficiencies in any full-scale design based on the test model, it is recommended that any future experiments and tests be performed on a wheel of larger diameter, since scale distortions were evident with a scale factor of about 8.5:1. A scale factor of 3:1 or 2:1 would be most desirable.

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Appendix A

A CALCULATION OF THE FORCES EXPECTED FROM A SCALE MODEL

For a 30-knot craft with a gross weight of 12,000 to 15,000 lb, we can determine the characteristics for one unit of a twin-stern wheel-propulsion system by using the equations derived in the dynamic analysis of a paddle wheel. The required thrust is known because the hull shape, drag coefficient, and required vehicle speed are known, or can be estimated accurately.

$$T = 1200 \text{ lb/unit}$$

$$V_o = 30 \text{ knots} = 50.7 \text{ ft/sec}$$

Choosing the dimensions

$$D = 3.5 \text{ ft} , d = 0.5 \text{ ft} , h = 1.25 \text{ ft} , r = 1.5 \text{ ft} , b = 3.5 \text{ ft}$$

for the wheel, then

$$V_a = \left[\frac{2T}{(b)(d)\rho} + V_o^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}} = \left[\frac{2(1200)}{(3.5)(0.5)(2)} + (50.7)^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}} = 56.6 \text{ ft/sec}$$

$$n = \frac{V_a}{2\pi h} = \frac{56.6}{2\pi(1.25)} = 7.20 \text{ rps} ; N = (7.20)(60) = 432 \text{ rpm}$$

$$Q = \frac{Tr^2}{h} = \frac{(1200)(1.5)^2}{1.25} = 2160 \text{ ft-lb}$$

$$\text{shp} = \frac{QN}{5252} = \frac{(2160)(432)}{5252} = 177/\text{unit}$$

$$\text{ehp} = \frac{TV_o}{550} = \frac{(1200)(50.7)}{550} = 110.0$$

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$$\eta_p = \frac{ehp}{shp} = \frac{110}{177} = 0.62$$

The size of the paddle wheel and the size of the power units are well within practical limitations.

TO SCALE THE EXAMPLE, USING A MODEL PADDLE WHEEL

Prototype characteristics are as follows:

$$T = 1200 \text{ lb}$$

$$V_o = 30 \text{ knots} = 50.7 \text{ fps}$$

$$D = 3.5 \text{ ft}, b = 3.5 \text{ ft}, h = 1.25 \text{ ft}$$

$$V_a = 56.6 \text{ fps}$$

$$N = 432 \text{ rpm}$$

$$Q = 2160 \text{ ft}^3/\text{lb}$$

$$shp = 177$$

$$ehp = 110$$

$$\eta_p = 62$$

Using a 5.0 by 5.0 in. model, we obtain

$$\lambda = \frac{42}{5.0} = 8.4$$

$$N_m = \sqrt{8.4} (432) = 1250 \text{ rpm}$$

$$T_m = \frac{1200}{(8.4)^3} = 2.03 \text{ lb}$$

$$Q_m = \frac{2160}{(8.4)^4} = 0.434 \text{ ft}^3/\text{lb} = 5.22 \text{ in.}^3/\text{lb}$$

$$P_m = \frac{177}{(8.4)^{7/2}} = 0.1028 \text{ shp}$$

$$\eta_m = 0.62$$

$$V_{om} = \frac{50.7}{\sqrt{8.4}} = 17.5 \text{ fps}$$

$$V_{am} = \frac{56.6}{\sqrt{8.4}} = 19.5 \text{ fps}$$

SPECIAL CASE (MAXIMUM ACCELERATION OR THRUST) WHEN $V_o = 0$ and $N = \text{MAXIMUM}$
FOR $d/D = 0.143$

$$V_a = \left[\frac{2T}{bd\rho} + V_o^2 \right]^{1/2} = 2\pi hn$$

Therefore

$$T = 2\pi^2 h^2 n^2 bd\rho$$

when $V_o = 0$; and for $\lambda = 8.4$,

$$T = \frac{2(3.1416)^2 (1.786)^2 (5.0) (0.714) (62) (20.7)^2}{32.2 \times 12 \times 1728}$$

$$= 8.95 \text{ lb}$$

$$Q = \frac{8.95(2.143)^2}{1.786} = 23.1 \text{ in.-lb}$$

$$\text{shp} = \frac{2\pi(20.7)(23.1)}{550 \times 12} = 0.455$$

These calculated values of thrust and torque will, however, be unattainable, because of the ventilation and/or cavitation of the paddle wheel. They do, however, give an upper limit to the forces that can be expected,

Appendix B

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170	2.8333	2.2020	1.2403	-0.8709	0.0000	0.0401	1.0125	-0.2403	-1.3205	-0.0370	0.0000	0.0050
115	1.9167	2.2020	1.0335	-0.8512	0.0000	-0.1175	0.6049	-0.0335	4.3817	-0.1100	0.0000	-0.0105
METHOD II (VOLPICH)	(T=12.003)/(RHO=D=0.3)	(D=12.004)/(RHO=D=0.4)	VA	VA/SQRT(D/12)	SRRT(MD/12)	NSORT(D/1)	ETA	ETA	EFFECTIVE SLIP			
1615	4.0734	2.0233	2.7237	4.2195	25.9406	1042.470	0.1010	0.1010	0.0011			
1470	3.0407	2.0270	2.7237	4.2195	20.7407	940.0004	0.1050	0.1050	0.0074			
1340	3.5027	2.5170	2.7237	4.2195	23.6291	864.9663	0.1110	0.1110	0.0320			
1250	3.0617	2.1707	2.7237	4.2195	22.3607	774.5967	0.1236	0.1236	0.0131			
1040	2.5927	1.9326	2.7237	4.2195	20.0167	671.3171	0.1390	0.1390	0.7643			
800	2.1839	1.6950	2.7237	4.2195	19.0394	561.5026	0.1500	0.1500	0.7022			
600	1.6629	1.5106	2.7237	4.2195	16.9590	445.3931	0.1570	0.1570	0.6749			
515	1.5840	1.3931	2.7237	4.2195	14.6407	332.4311	0.1594	0.1594	0.5044			
339	0.6153	0.9892	2.7237	4.2195	11.0049	210.8236	0.1369	0.1369	0.3303			
170	-0.2641	0.1342	2.7237	4.2195	0.4163	129.7345	-1.2005	-1.2005	-0.3105			
115	-0.7350	-2.1790	2.7237	4.2195	0.9222	74.2322	4.0019	4.0019	-0.9506			

HIGH SPEED PADDLEWHEEL												
OCTOBER 1968												
THEMIS PROJECT NUMBER 1												
NUMBER OF BLADES= 12												
C=5.2823												
LITTLE D/D=0.0000												
LITTLE D= 0.300												
V=3.400												
METHOD I	LITTLE N	LITTLE M	LAMBDA SUB 1	KT	KL	KQ	PROUDE NO.	SLIP	ETA	T	L	B
1612	26.8333	2.2203	2.1937	0.2236	0.0006	1.0103	9.5091	0.5463	0.1116	0.9920	0.0000	0.2802
1622	24.6667	2.2202	2.1672	0.2235	2.0000	0.8100	0.1140	0.5323	0.1135	0.9960	0.0000	0.2702
1632	22.6667	2.2202	2.1922	0.2233	2.0000	0.8191	0.1081	0.5108	0.1207	0.9960	0.0000	0.2300
1642	19.6667	2.2202	2.2208	0.2227	2.0000	0.8221	7.8200	0.7982	0.1342	0.9990	0.0000	0.2002
1652	17.1667	2.2202	0.2233	0.2236	0.0000	0.8249	6.1344	0.7597	0.1478	0.9970	0.0000	0.1702
682	16.6667	2.2202	2.2213	0.2231	0.0000	0.8306	5.1243	0.7187	0.1522	0.9960	0.0000	0.1402
722	11.6667	2.2202	2.3536	0.2276	2.0000	0.8424	4.1692	0.6464	0.1644	0.9990	0.0000	0.1300
515	8.5333	2.2202	2.4804	0.2373	2.0000	0.8615	3.6673	0.5194	0.1644	0.9990	0.0000	0.1102
342	5.6667	2.2202	2.7252	0.2517	2.0000	0.8706	2.6290	0.2720	0.1817	0.9970	0.0000	0.0552
172	2.6333	2.2202	1.4562	-0.3926	0.0000	0.8401	1.6125	0.4560	7.1253	-0.1840	0.0000	0.0070
METHOD II (VOLPICH)												
RP=	(T=12.03)/(RHO=0.003)	(T=12.04)/(RHO=0.004)	VA	VA/SQRT(D/12)	SQRT(D/12)	SQRT(D/12)	NSQRT(D/12)	ETA	EFFECTIVE SLIP			
1612	7.0797	4.9216	3.1973	4.9533	25.9609	1839.2509	0.1116	0.2344				
1622	6.4459	4.7662	3.1973	4.9533	24.9320	955.3359	0.1134	0.0221				
1632	5.4240	4.5924	3.1973	4.9533	23.8908	877.8752	0.1207	0.0004				
1642	4.6313	3.5055	3.1973	4.9533	22.1734	761.6667	0.1342	0.7768				
1652	3.7411	3.2574	3.1973	4.9533	20.7163	664.8621	0.1478	0.7443				
682	2.9599	2.7434	3.1973	4.9533	19.1485	568.8376	0.1522	0.7000				
722	2.1339	2.2923	3.1973	4.9533	17.8783	451.8481	0.1644	0.6238				
515	1.1343	1.8834	3.1973	4.9533	14.6407	332.4311	0.1644	0.4807				
342	0.2641	0.9449	3.1973	4.9533	11.9924	215.4091	0.1817	0.2359				
172	-1.3132	-2.1342	3.1973	4.9533	8.4163	189.7345	7.1249	0.2400				

THEMIS PROJECT NUMBER 1												
HIGH SPEED PADDLEWHEEL												
OCTOBER 1968												
NUMBER OF BLADES= 12												
C=9.2828												
LITTLE D/D=0.0000												
LITTLE D= 0.300												
V=7.708												
METHOD	LITTLE N	LITTLE M	LAMBDA SUB 1	K7	KL	KQ	PROUDE VO.	SLIP	ETA	T	L	O
142	23.3333	2.2522	2.2522	0.4328	0.3288	0.8391	0.3384	0.7479	0.1290	0.9988	0.9988	0.9988
1352	22.5732	2.2339	2.2314	0.4315	0.3288	0.8286	0.6486	0.7386	0.1442	0.9318	0.8888	0.9318
1192	19.6667	2.1521	2.2591	0.4325	0.3288	0.8329	7.8288	0.7429	0.1479	0.9398	0.8888	0.9397
1042	17.3333	2.1222	2.3394	0.4335	0.3222	0.8181	4.1942	0.6853	0.1494	0.9802	0.8888	0.9782
972	14.5724	2.1222	2.4557	0.4369	0.2737	0.8467	9.1817	0.5943	0.1823	0.9532	0.8888	0.9388
882	11.3333	2.1222	2.5192	0.4523	0.2082	0.8672	4.6521	0.4828	0.2219	0.9228	0.8888	0.9158
512	8.3333	2.2022	2.6821	0.4522	0.3287	0.8582	3.8375	0.3879	0.2922	0.9352	0.8888	0.9823
345	5.7522	2.2222	2.8231	-0.1943	0.3288	0.8115	2.8848	-0.2231	-0.1314	-0.9918	0.8888	0.9198
262	4.3333	2.2222	2.9375	0.4522	0.3288	0.8115	1.9486	-0.3375	0.1742	-0.9133	0.8888	0.8892
92	15.1233	2.1222	2.3978	0.4337	0.3288	0.8465	5.3921	0.6183	0.1623	0.9148	0.8888	0.9572
1092	18.1667	2.2222	2.3338	0.4337	0.3288	0.8372	6.4922	0.6762	0.1476	0.9493	0.8888	0.9967
METHOD	[(VOLPICT)/R-30003]	(3-12004)/(R-30004)	VA	VA/SORT(0/12)	SORT(0/12)	NEQRY(0/12)	ETA	EFFECTIVE SLIP				
142	6.9942	6.9342	4.9992	7.2638	24.1323	983.6941	0.1208	0.7310				
1352	6.6444	6.2249	4.9992	7.2638	23.7171	871.4212	0.1442	0.7219				
1192	5.2456	4.3555	4.9992	7.2638	22.1736	741.8867	0.1479	0.6810				
1042	4.1954	4.7662	4.9992	7.2638	21.0187	671.31	0.1694	0.6398				
972	3.2334	4.2514	4.9992	7.2638	19.1194	561.5826	0.1493	0.5884				
882	2.7975	3.5972	4.9992	7.2638	16.0329	438.9351	0.2618	0.4470				
512	2.9435	3.7228	4.9992	7.2638	17.5774	329.2236	0.1992	0.2638				
345	-2.9494	0.2896	4.9992	7.2638	11.8896	222.6965	-0.12314	-0.4442				
262	-1.9231	-2.6899	4.9992	7.2638	18.6883	167.8293	1.14736	-0.4442				
92	3.6483	4.661	4.9992	7.2638	10.4184	780.1752	0.1623	0.9891				
1092	4.6318	5.2614	4.9992	7.2638	21.3112	733.5928	0.1476	0.9955				

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HIGH SPEED ROADWAY													
OCTOBER 1988													
THEIRIS PROJECT NUMBER 1													
NUMBER OF BLADES= 12													
C=0.0028													
LITTLE D/D=0.000.1000													
LITTLE D=0.000													
Y=0.000													
REP	LITTLE N	LITTLE M	LAMBDA SUB 1	KT	KL	KG	PROUDE NO.	SLIP	ETA	Y	L	0	
152	29.3333	2.2222	2.1028	2.4249	0.0408	0.0109	9.0931	0.0372	0.1037	0.9310	0.0000	0.1049	
142	23.6667	2.2222	2.2733	2.4277	0.0300	0.0228	8.4578	0.0257	0.1000	0.9000	0.0000	0.2092	
132	21.6667	2.2222	2.1028	2.4324	0.0202	0.0242	7.8823	0.0210	0.1100	0.8450	0.0000	0.2000	
122	20.0000	2.2222	2.2203	2.4317	0.0202	0.0250	7.1072	0.0137	0.1200	0.7230	0.0000	0.2403	
102	19.1667	2.2222	2.2211	2.4310	0.0202	0.0294	6.4920	0.0070	0.1200	0.6120	0.0000	0.2203	
92	16.1667	2.2222	2.2526	2.4354	0.0202	0.0342	5.8308	0.0040	0.1300	0.5510	0.0000	0.2205	
82	14.6667	2.2222	2.2833	2.4371	0.0202	0.0391	5.2453	0.0027	0.1300	0.4400	0.0000	0.2047	
72	12.6667	2.2222	2.3257	2.4379	0.0202	0.0438	4.7203	0.0015	0.1400	0.3550	0.0000	0.1800	
62	12.1667	2.2222	2.4338	2.4420	0.0202	0.0486	4.2531	0.0008	0.1400	0.2578	0.0000	0.1522	
52	7.1667	2.2222	2.4576	2.4492	0.0202	0.0531	3.8411	0.0004	0.1500	0.1470	0.0000	0.1102	
42	4.5202	2.2222	2.4853	2.4522	0.0202	0.0577	3.4835	0.0002	0.1500	0.0280	0.0000	0.0700	
32	5.6667	2.2222	2.7233	2.4536	0.0202	0.0608	2.8208	0.0001	0.1500	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	
27	3.4322	2.2222	1.1998	-0.1129	0.0202	0.0601	1.2330	-0.1000	-0.3500	-0.1340	0.0000	0.0032	
REP	TOTAL (VOLUME)		(2*12*0.001)/(2*0.0004)		VA	VA/SORT(D/12)		SORT(NO/12)		MSORT(D/12)		ETA	EFFECTIVE SLIP
152	0.0444		5.2156		3.1973	4.0933		25.1061		901.3558		0.1037	0.0191
142	0.0450		5.1277		3.1973	4.0933		24.3242		916.0061		0.1000	0.0003
132	0.0424		4.8127		3.1973	4.0933		23.3031		845.0014		0.1100	0.7001
122	0.0459		4.2737		3.1973	4.0933		22.3427		774.9967		0.1200	0.7200
102	0.0477		3.9130		3.1973	4.0933		21.3112		733.9928		0.1300	0.7427
92	0.0524		3.7706		3.1973	4.0933		20.2273		632.9873		0.1325	0.7106
82	0.0524		3.5277		3.1973	4.0933		19.1405		568.0370		0.1334	0.6079
72	0.0535		2.9776		3.1973	4.0933		17.7951		498.5770		0.1434	0.6301
62	0.0542		2.6278		3.1973	4.0933		15.9426		393.7533		0.1427	0.5491
52	0.0542		2.3884		3.1973	4.0933		13.3853		277.9830		0.1500	0.3604
42	0.0571		2.1572		3.1973	4.0933		11.5774		229.8830		0.1500	0.4007
32	0.0494		1.3433		3.1973	4.0933		9.9824		219.0091		0.1500	0.1911
27	-0.0553		2.2009		3.1973	4.0933		9.2671		133.0179		-0.3502	-0.3206

HIGH SPEED PADDLEWHEEL												OCTOBER 1968					
THE-15 PROJECT NUMBER 1												V00 7.730					
NUMBER OF BLADES= 12												LITTLE D/D=0.1000		LITTLE D= 0.380			
METHOD 1												LITTLE D= 0.380		LITTLE D= 0.380		LITTLE D= 0.380	
RPW	LITTLE N	LITTLE M	LAMBDA SUB 1	KT	KL	KO	PROUDE NO.	SLIP	ETA	T	L	G					
1322	22.2220	2.2222	0.2674	0.0335	0.3000	0.0338	7.0619	0.7320	0.380	0.0500	0.0000	0.4005					
1162	19.6667	2.2222	0.2691	0.2300	0.3000	0.0335	7.0250	0.7000	0.380	0.0500	0.0000	0.3823					
1232	22.0000	2.2222	0.2678	0.2312	0.3000	0.0335	7.0250	0.7130	0.380	0.0500	0.0000	0.3823					
1202	18.6667	2.2222	0.2678	0.2312	0.3000	0.0335	7.0250	0.7130	0.380	0.0500	0.0000	0.3823					
1212	16.0000	2.2222	0.2678	0.2312	0.3000	0.0335	7.0250	0.7130	0.380	0.0500	0.0000	0.3823					
942	15.6667	2.2222	0.2678	0.2312	0.3000	0.0335	7.0250	0.7130	0.380	0.0500	0.0000	0.3823					
862	14.3333	2.2222	0.2678	0.2312	0.3000	0.0335	7.0250	0.7130	0.380	0.0500	0.0000	0.3823					
732	12.6667	2.2222	0.2678	0.2312	0.3000	0.0335	7.0250	0.7130	0.380	0.0500	0.0000	0.3823					
642	12.0000	2.2222	0.2678	0.2312	0.3000	0.0335	7.0250	0.7130	0.380	0.0500	0.0000	0.3823					
522	9.6667	2.2222	0.2678	0.2312	0.3000	0.0335	7.0250	0.7130	0.380	0.0500	0.0000	0.3823					
422	7.2222	2.2222	0.2678	0.2312	0.3000	0.0335	7.0250	0.7130	0.380	0.0500	0.0000	0.3823					
342	5.6667	2.2222	0.2678	0.2312	0.3000	0.0335	7.0250	0.7130	0.380	0.0500	0.0000	0.3823					
322	5.2222	2.2222	0.2678	0.2312	0.3000	0.0335	7.0250	0.7130	0.380	0.0500	0.0000	0.3823					
METHOD 1: (VCLPIC-)												NSORT(D/12)		ETA		EFFECTIVE	
RPW	{161203}{161203}		{012004}{16000004}		VA		VA/NSORT(D/12)		NSORT(MD/12)		ETA		EFFECTIVE				
1322	6.0220	7.2141	4.3592	7.0630	23.421	0.520563	0.1300	0.7029									
1162	4.5815	6.2047	4.3592	7.0630	22.1732	761.6867	0.1201	0.6077									
1232	5.5240	5.5644	4.3592	7.0630	22.0005	793.9016	0.1169	0.6012									
1202	4.9221	5.0453	4.3592	7.0630	21.3112	783.5920	0.1100	0.6082									
1212	4.6113	5.2613	4.3592	7.0630	20.5142	851.0522	0.1249	0.6117									
942	3.6113	5.2613	4.3592	7.0630	19.7100	886.7674	0.1205	0.5920									
862	3.2337	5.2357	4.3592	7.0630	18.9097	955.1270	0.1257	0.5400									
732	2.2390	4.7602	4.3592	7.0630	17.4084	471.2138	0.1524	0.4020									
642	2.1990	4.0324	4.3592	7.0630	16.5109	413.1102	0.1072	0.3450									
522	2.1477	1.2460	4.3592	7.0630	14.7100	215.0506	0.1369	0.2672									
422	1.6491	2.6978	4.3592	7.0630	13.3323	274.3363	-0.0004	0.0722									
342	-2.1641	1.2133	4.3592	7.0630	11.0224	210.4091	-0.0370	-0.1354									
322	-1.1846	0.2698	4.3592	7.0630	1.0224	210.4091	-0.0370	-0.1354									
		0.2457	4.3592	7.0630	11.0224	210.4091	-0.0370	-0.1354									

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HIGH SPEED PADDLEWHEEL												
OCTOBER 1968												
TWE-15 PROJECT NUMBER 1												
NUMBER OF BLADES= 12												
D=5.00FE												
LITTLE D/D=0.1000												
LITTLE D= 0.000												
V= 4.000												
WET-00 I	LITTLE A	LITTLE M	LAMBDA SUB 1	KT	KL	KQ	FROUDE NO.	SLIP	EYA	Y	L	Q
1472	24.5222	1.7222	2.1434	2.7301	0.0000	0.0192	0.7953	0.0500	0.1122	1.0940	0.0000	0.2000
1362	22.0667	1.7222	2.1552	2.4310	0.0000	0.0509	0.1001	0.0450	0.1207	0.9560	0.0000	0.2303
1242	21.0202	1.7222	2.1673	0.0333	0.0000	0.0220	7.5845	0.0327	0.1225	0.8580	0.0000	0.2442
1122	18.0333	1.7222	2.1917	2.0362	0.0000	0.0000	6.5516	0.0003	0.1302	0.7100	0.0000	0.2270
982	16.0333	1.7222	2.2112	0.0392	0.0000	0.0333	5.0300	0.7046	0.1394	0.5120	0.0000	0.1900
885	14.7502	1.7222	2.2363	0.2444	0.0000	0.2342	5.2710	0.7017	0.1545	0.3640	0.0000	0.1612
722	12.0222	1.7222	2.2020	0.0554	0.0000	0.0422	4.2003	0.7071	0.1934	0.1600	0.0000	0.1470
615	10.0222	1.7222	2.3420	2.3559	0.0000	0.0555	3.6609	0.6571	0.1720	0.3430	0.0000	0.1417
480	8.0222	1.7222	2.4303	2.0537	0.0000	0.0026	2.0509	0.5007	0.1470	0.2000	0.0000	0.1207
305	6.0533	1.7222	2.5330	2.4335	0.0000	0.0946	2.3506	0.4062	0.1226	0.1120	0.0000	0.0990
262	4.0667	1.7222	2.7531	2.0594	0.0000	0.1139	1.0077	0.2469	0.0312	0.0120	0.0000	0.0003
175	2.0667	1.7222	1.2249	-2.3215	0.0000	0.0537	1.0423	-0.2049	0.2097	-0.1100	0.0000	0.0109
145	2.0267	1.7222	1.4542	-3.0700	0.0000	-0.0551	0.0030	-0.4542	12.0013	-0.1314	0.0000	-0.0070
WET-00 II (VOLPIC)	REP	(7012003)/(RM00003)	(0012004)/(RM00004)	VA	VA/SORT(D/12)	SORT(D/12)	NSORT(D/12)	EYA	EYA	EFFECTIVE SLIP		
1472	7.5222	4.8102	2.7237	4.2195	24.7487	948.8009	0.1124	0.1124	0.0292			
1362	6.0222	4.0466	2.7237	4.2195	23.0040	877.0762	0.1307	0.1307	0.0194			
1242	5.1234	4.1022	2.7237	4.2195	22.9129	833.3265	0.1225	0.1225	0.0400			
1122	5.0471	3.7311	2.7237	4.2195	21.4807	710.0469	0.1302	0.1302	0.0710			
982	4.0677	3.3714	2.7237	4.2195	20.2073	632.5073	0.1304	0.1304	0.0730			
885	4.0252	3.2231	2.7237	4.2195	19.1229	571.2050	0.1345	0.1345	0.0764			
722	3.1250	2.5179	2.7237	4.2195	17.3205	404.7500	0.1934	0.1934	0.0914			
615	2.4470	2.2070	2.7237	4.2195	16.0070	390.0000	0.1720	0.1720	0.0910			
480	1.4845	2.0230	2.7237	4.2195	14.1421	309.0307	0.1470	0.1470	0.0470			
305	1.7050	1.7050	2.7237	4.2195	12.0200	254.9114	0.1226	0.1226	0.1045			
262	2.0050	1.2340	2.7237	4.2195	10.0012	100.7392	0.0312	0.0312	0.1035			
175	-2.7050	2.1700	2.7237	4.2195	0.5391	112.9020	-2.0209	-2.0209	-0.4344			
145	-2.3421	-1.1342	2.7237	4.2195	7.7720	93.5971	12.0007	12.0007	-0.7312			

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DPW	LITTLE N	LITTLE H	LAMBDA SUB 1	KY	KL	K0	FROUDE NO.	SLIP	ETA	T	L	Q	
168	26.6667	1.7222	0.1547	2.0313	0.2002	0.0252	9.5209	0.0453	0.0000	1.2000	0.0000	0.4350	
148	23.3333	1.7222	2.1700	2.0366	0.2000	0.0329	9.3304	0.0232	0.2096	1.1640	0.0000	0.4305	
132	22.5777	1.7222	2.1834	2.0361	0.2000	0.0315	9.0486	0.0166	0.1006	1.0600	0.0000	0.3805	
124	22.6667	1.7222	2.1996	2.0373	0.2002	0.0364	7.3054	0.0054	0.1024	0.9310	0.0000	0.3700	
122	18.7722	1.7222	2.2292	2.0369	0.2002	0.0413	6.4324	0.7720	0.1090	0.6000	0.0000	0.3255	
92	14.5700	1.7222	2.2845	2.0459	0.2002	0.0493	5.1017	0.7155	0.1327	0.5640	0.0000	0.2920	
72	12.0222	1.7222	2.3438	2.0481	0.2000	0.0614	4.2083	0.6562	0.1344	0.4032	0.0000	0.2155	
55	9.1222	1.7222	2.4400	2.0416	0.2002	0.0702	3.3056	2.5500	0.1187	0.2000	0.0000	0.1620	
32	6.3333	1.7222	2.6514	2.0150	0.2000	0.1104	2.2033	0.3400	0.2035	0.0370	0.0000	0.1155	
32	5.0722	1.7222	2.8251	-0.0236	0.2000	0.1165	1.7060	2.1749	-0.1109	-0.0490	0.0000	0.0700	
25	3.4167	1.7222	1.2274	-0.2076	0.2000	0.0276	1.0210	-0.2674	-0.2041	-0.1000	0.0000	0.0070	
METHOD 11 (VOLUPIC-)												EFFECTIVE SLIP	
DPW	(12.0003)/(15.0003)	(0.12004)/(0.000004)	VA	VA/SORT(D/12)	SORT(D/12)	NSORT(D/12)	ETA						
168	9.2636	7.4637	3.1973	4.9533	25.8199	1032.7994	0.0048	0.0130					
148	8.3772	7.3736	3.1973	4.9533	22.1533	903.0961	0.0096	0.7095					
132	7.6771	6.6544	3.1973	4.9533	23.7171	871.4212	0.1040	0.7017					
124	6.0444	6.2745	3.1973	4.9533	22.7303	800.4166	0.1024	0.7624					
122	4.8550	5.5743	3.1973	4.9533	21.2132	697.1370	0.1006	0.7372					
92	4.2257	4.3183	3.1973	4.9533	19.0334	561.5026	0.1327	0.6213					
72	2.6433	3.6249	3.1973	4.9533	17.3285	464.7502	0.1344	0.5907					
55	1.4545	2.7876	3.1973	4.9533	15.2809	350.2518	2.1107	0.4091					
32	2.2441	1.9763	3.1973	4.9533	11.9031	245.2000	0.0435	0.2265					
32	-2.3497	1.2133	3.1973	4.9533	11.1803	193.6492	-0.1109	0.0170					
25	-1.3364	1.1342	3.1973	4.9533	9.2421	132.3260	-0.2030	-0.0374					

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HIGH SPEED PADDLEWHEEL											
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NUMBER OF BLADES= 6											
Q=9,0000											
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METHOD I											
RPM	LITTLE N	LITTLE M	LAMBDA SUB 1	KT	KL	KQ	PROUDE NO.	SLIP	ETA	L	S
1400	24.0667	2.2202	3.1425	0.4228	0.0000	0.0147	0.0140	0.0975	0.1011	0.7390	0.0000
1420	23.3333	2.2202	3.1526	0.4225	0.0000	0.0153	0.0304	0.0494	0.1100	0.7150	0.0000
1335	22.2522	2.2202	3.1579	0.4228	0.0000	0.0157	7.9512	0.0421	0.1140	0.6900	0.0000
1242	20.6667	2.2202	3.1720	0.4225	0.0000	0.0164	7.9894	0.0300	0.1250	0.6240	0.0000
1170	19.5333	2.2202	3.1832	0.4225	0.0000	0.0184	6.9895	0.0190	0.1297	0.5890	0.0000
1040	17.3333	2.2202	3.2027	0.4231	0.0000	0.0212	6.1942	0.0773	0.1400	0.5430	0.0000
922	15.3333	2.2202	3.2292	0.4233	0.0000	0.0253	5.1795	0.7700	0.1601	0.4030	0.0000
782	13.2002	2.2202	3.2523	0.4232	0.0000	0.0320	4.0457	0.7207	0.1778	0.2430	0.0000
630	10.5202	2.2202	3.3347	0.4245	0.0000	0.0395	3.7523	0.6053	0.2054	0.1200	0.0000
510	8.5202	2.2202	3.4134	0.4248	0.0000	0.0514	3.2375	0.5004	0.2201	0.1310	0.0000
422	6.6667	2.2202	3.5271	0.4277	0.0000	0.0526	2.3024	0.4729	0.2319	0.0200	0.0000
322	5.3333	2.2202	3.6599	0.4277	0.0000	0.0411	1.4059	0.3411	0.2232	0.0400	0.0000
212	3.5200	2.2000	1.8041	0.4238	0.0000	0.0173	1.2500	-0.0041	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
125	2.6533	2.2000	1.6000	-0.42723	0.0000	-0.0400	0.7445	-0.0500	4.9932	-0.0000	-0.0000
METHOD II (VOLPICH)											
RPM	(T=12.003)/(RHO=0.003)	(Q=12.004)/(RHO=0.004)	VA	VA/SORT(D/12)	SORT(ND/12)	NSORT(D/12)	ETA	EFFECTIVE SLIP			
1400	9.2741	3.7109	2.7237	4.2195	24.0320	995.3359	0.1011	0.0404	0.0404	0.0404	
1420	9.1228	3.6889	2.7237	4.2195	24.1523	903.0901	0.1100	0.0390	0.0390	0.0390	
1335	4.6960	2.2321	2.7237	4.2195	23.3850	041.7300	0.1140	0.0320	0.0320	0.0320	
1242	4.4534	3.0000	2.7237	4.2195	22.7303	000.4104	0.1250	0.0191	0.0191	0.0191	
1170	4.2736	2.9284	2.7237	4.2195	22.0794	755.2317	0.1297	0.0003	0.0003	0.0003	
1040	3.0753	2.0549	2.7237	4.2195	20.0167	671.3151	0.1400	0.7043	0.7043	0.7043	
922	3.4614	2.4779	2.7237	4.2195	19.3789	503.0574	0.1601	0.7502	0.7502	0.7502	
782	2.9689	2.2967	2.7237	4.2195	10.0270	503.4070	0.1778	0.7124	0.7124	0.7124	
630	2.2247	1.8142	2.7237	4.2195	14.2819	404.9433	0.2054	0.6439	0.6439	0.6439	
510	1.0486	1.5687	2.7237	4.2195	14.3774	320.2036	0.2201	0.5082	0.5082	0.5082	
400	0.0564	0.9735	2.7237	4.2195	12.0099	250.1009	0.2319	0.4392	0.4392	0.4392	
322	0.3203	0.4067	2.7237	4.2195	11.9470	200.9991	0.2722	0.2992	0.2992	0.2992	
210	0.0700	0.2009	2.7237	4.2195	9.3941	135.9544	0.0400	0.0400	0.0400	0.0400	
125	-0.4924	-0.0000	2.7237	4.2195	7.2400	00.0002	4.0000	-0.7043	-0.7043	-0.7043	

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METHOD 1													LITTLE O/D=0.0000												
REP	LITTLE N	LITTLE M	LAMBDA SUB 1	XY	KL	KQ	PROVIDE NO.	SLIP	ETA	Y	L	Q	REP	LITTLE N	LITTLE M	LAMBDA SUB 1	XY	KL	KQ	PROVIDE NO.	SLIP	ETA	Y	L	Q
1550	25.8333	2.2000	0.1597	0.2282	0.0300	0.0210	9.2317	0.0403	0.1070	1.0070	0.0000	0.3019	1550	25.8333	2.2000	0.1597	0.2282	0.0300	0.0210	9.2317	0.0403	0.1070	1.0070	0.0000	0.3019
1442	24.2200	2.2000	0.1719	0.0302	0.0000	0.0226	0.9766	0.0201	0.1151	2.0140	0.0000	0.3132	1442	24.2200	2.2000	0.1719	0.0302	0.0000	0.0226	0.9766	0.0201	0.1151	2.0140	0.0000	0.3132
1340	22.3333	2.2000	0.1847	0.0321	0.0000	0.0253	7.9080	0.0153	0.1223	0.9360	0.0000	0.3095	1340	22.3333	2.2000	0.1847	0.0321	0.0000	0.0253	7.9080	0.0153	0.1223	0.9360	0.0000	0.3095
1220	20.3333	2.2000	0.2029	0.0371	0.0000	0.0277	7.2003	0.0071	0.1357	0.8960	0.0000	0.3070	1220	20.3333	2.2000	0.2029	0.0371	0.0000	0.0277	7.2003	0.0071	0.1357	0.8960	0.0000	0.3070
1160	19.3333	2.2000	0.2134	0.0376	0.0000	0.0290	6.9009	0.0066	0.1383	0.8000	0.0000	0.2835	1160	19.3333	2.2000	0.2134	0.0376	0.0000	0.0290	6.9009	0.0066	0.1383	0.8000	0.0000	0.2835
1080	17.6667	2.2000	0.2335	0.0410	0.0000	0.0322	6.3133	0.0069	0.1517	0.7620	0.0000	0.2493	1080	17.6667	2.2000	0.2335	0.0410	0.0000	0.0322	6.3133	0.0069	0.1517	0.7620	0.0000	0.2493
990	16.5222	2.2000	0.2528	0.0414	0.0000	0.0335	5.8904	0.0069	0.1543	0.6580	0.0000	0.2222	990	16.5222	2.2000	0.2528	0.0414	0.0000	0.0335	5.8904	0.0069	0.1543	0.6580	0.0000	0.2222
880	14.6667	2.2000	0.2813	0.0451	0.0000	0.0375	5.2433	0.0069	0.1609	0.5600	0.0000	0.1993	880	14.6667	2.2000	0.2813	0.0451	0.0000	0.0375	5.2433	0.0069	0.1609	0.5600	0.0000	0.1993
730	12.1667	2.2000	0.3391	0.0486	0.0000	0.0445	4.3479	0.0069	0.1692	0.4220	0.0000	0.1682	730	12.1667	2.2000	0.3391	0.0486	0.0000	0.0445	4.3479	0.0069	0.1692	0.4220	0.0000	0.1682
670	10.2222	2.2000	0.4125	0.0522	0.0000	0.0573	3.9736	0.0069	0.1879	0.3090	0.0000	0.1395	670	10.2222	2.2000	0.4125	0.0522	0.0000	0.0573	3.9736	0.0069	0.1879	0.3090	0.0000	0.1395
495	8.2522	2.2000	0.5081	0.0551	0.0000	0.0603	2.9422	0.0069	0.1990	0.2190	0.0000	0.1197	495	8.2522	2.2000	0.5081	0.0551	0.0000	0.0603	2.9422	0.0069	0.1990	0.2190	0.0000	0.1197
425	7.2533	2.2000	0.5824	0.0643	0.0000	0.0656	2.5333	0.0069	0.2124	0.1270	0.0000	0.2001	425	7.2533	2.2000	0.5824	0.0643	0.0000	0.0656	2.5333	0.0069	0.2124	0.1270	0.0000	0.2001
325	5.4167	2.2000	0.7616	0.0670	0.0000	0.0734	1.9337	0.0069	0.2304	0.0070	0.0000	0.0217	325	5.4167	2.2000	0.7616	0.0670	0.0000	0.0734	1.9337	0.0069	0.2304	0.0070	0.0000	0.0217
190	3.1667	2.2000	1.3020	-0.0706	0.0000	0.0802	1.1336	-0.0000	0.3020	-0.0000	0.0000	0.3000	190	3.1667	2.2000	1.3020	-0.0706	0.0000	0.0802	1.1336	-0.0000	0.3020	-0.0000	0.0000	0.3000
METHOD 1: (VOLPICH)													EFFECTIVE SLIP												
REP	(T*12**3)/(RHO*D**3)	(D*12**4)/(RHO*D**4)	VA	VA/SQRT(D/12)	SQRT(D/12)	NSQRT(D/12)	ETA																		
1550	7.8291	5.0420	3.1973	4.9333	25.4133	1000.3207	0.1070																		
1442	7.2512	5.4154	3.1973	4.9333	24.4040	920.5160	0.1151																		
1340	6.6501	5.2493	3.1973	4.9333	23.0291	864.9003	0.1223																		
1220	6.3946	4.7700	3.1973	4.9333	22.5462	787.5064	0.1357																		
1160	5.0522	4.5133	3.1973	4.9333	21.9840	740.7768	0.1383																		
1080	5.4382	4.1020	3.1973	4.9333	21.8150	604.2271	0.1517																		
990	4.6907	3.8233	3.1973	4.9333	20.3101	610.0423	0.1543																		
880	4.6394	3.3659	3.1973	4.9333	19.1405	568.2376	0.1609																		
730	2.9975	2.7434	3.1973	4.9333	17.4404	471.2338	0.1879																		
670	2.1767	2.3094	3.1973	4.9333	15.8114	307.2903	0.1879																		
495	1.5632	1.9640	3.1973	4.9333	14.3614	319.2111	0.1990																		
425	2.0204	1.3717	3.1973	4.9333	13.3873	274.3163	0.1990																		
325	0.8856	0.3711	3.1973	4.9333	11.6330	200.7066	0.2304																		
190	-0.3203	0.0000	3.1973	4.9333	8.6976	122.0445	0.3020																		

HIGH SPEED PADDLEWHEEL												
OCTOBER 1968												
NUMBER OF BLADES= 6												
D=5.0000												
LITTLE D/D=0.0000												
LITTLE D/D=0.300												
VSP 7.788												
METHOD I												
REP#	LITTLE N	LITTLE M	LAMBDA SUB 1	KT	KL	KD	PROUDE NO.	SLIP	ETA	T	L	D
1532	25.5282	2.2222	2.2337	0.0335	0.0004	0.0287	9.1126	0.7093	0.1343	1.2718	0.0008	0.4547
1432	23.6333	2.2222	0.2468	0.0308	0.0004	0.0329	0.5178	0.7537	0.1524	1.2398	0.0208	0.4947
1342	22.3333	2.2222	0.2634	0.0481	0.0004	0.0345	7.9854	0.7366	0.1571	1.0708	0.0008	0.4189
1242	20.6667	2.2222	0.2846	0.0417	0.0004	0.0378	7.3854	0.7154	0.1571	1.0428	0.0208	0.3927
1142	19.3333	2.2222	0.3096	0.0449	0.0004	0.0382	0.7008	0.6984	0.1571	0.9472	0.0208	0.3358
1042	17.3333	2.2222	0.3394	0.0511	0.0004	0.0447	0.1942	0.6386	0.1571	0.8042	0.0008	0.3255
932	15.5282	2.2222	0.3795	0.0587	0.0004	0.0523	5.5398	0.0285	0.2122	0.8132	0.0008	0.3858
792	13.1667	2.2222	0.4468	0.0833	0.0004	0.0662	4.7852	0.5332	0.2012	0.8132	0.0008	0.2748
732	12.1667	2.2222	0.4835	0.0633	0.0004	0.0631	4.3479	0.5165	0.2012	0.8132	0.0008	0.2273
662	11.0000	2.2222	0.5348	0.0556	0.0004	0.0579	3.0389	0.4852	0.2012	0.8132	0.0008	0.1753
612	10.1667	2.2222	0.5786	0.0441	0.0004	0.0514	3.0331	0.4214	0.2012	0.8132	0.0008	0.1822
532	8.0333	2.2222	0.6659	0.0279	0.0004	0.0449	3.3567	0.3341	0.2012	0.8132	0.0008	0.3852
425	7.0033	2.2222	0.8325	0.0028	0.0004	0.0212	2.5313	0.1095	0.0008	0.0008	0.0008	0.0008
255	4.2500	2.2222	1.3841	-0.0654	0.0004	0.0004	1.5188	0.3841	0.0008	0.0008	0.0008	0.0008
METHOD II (VOLPICH)												
REP#	(T=2222)/(RHO=0.003)	(D=1222)/(RHO=0.004)	VA	VA/SORT(D/12)	SORT(ND/12)	NSORT(D/12)	ETA	EFFECTIVE SLIP				
1532	9.0709	7.7877	4.5592	7.0638	25.2488	987.6188	0.1343	0.7546				
1432	8.9892	7.7877	4.5592	7.0638	24.4897	923.0018	0.1424	0.7374				
1342	8.3287	7.1682	4.5592	7.0638	23.6291	864.9663	0.1538	0.7198				
1242	7.4223	6.7257	4.5592	7.0638	22.7383	808.4166	0.1571	0.6972				
1142	6.7586	5.7523	4.5592	7.0638	21.7945	735.8688	0.1819	0.6886				
1042	6.3835	5.0924	4.5592	7.0638	20.8167	671.3171	0.1936	0.6500				
932	5.8222	5.2384	4.5592	7.0638	19.6382	608.3124	0.2182	0.5983				
792	6.0103	4.7788	4.5592	7.0638	18.1438	589.9428	0.2812	0.5247				
732	4.1536	2.8938	4.5592	7.0638	17.4884	471.2132	0.2579	0.4856				
662	2.8248	2.9224	4.5592	7.0638	15.9331	426.8282	0.2568	0.4311				
612	1.8984	2.1224	4.5592	7.0638	15.9426	393.7533	0.2482	0.3495				
532	2.9284	1.6222	4.5592	7.0638	14.8255	342.1135	0.2867	0.2119				
425	2.8784	0.4425	4.5592	7.0638	13.3373	274.3363	0.0008	0.3165				
255	-2.0924	0.4250	4.5592	7.0638	10.3878	164.8818	0.0008	0.4725				
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HIGH SPEED PADDLEWHEEL												OCTOBER 1968	
THE-15 PROJECT NUMBER 1												Y00 9.408	
NUMBER OF BLADES= 6												LITTLE D= 0.900	
METHOD 1												LITTLE D/D0=0.1000	
RPM	LITTLE N	LITTLE M	LAMBDA SUB 1	KT	KL	KQ	PROUDE MD.	SLIP	ETA	T	L	O	
1500	25.2002	2.2002	0.1650	0.0361	0.3000	0.0270	0.0340	0.0350	0.1009	1.3170	0.0000	0.4237	
1300	22.0067	2.2002	0.1820	0.0300	0.0000	0.0310	0.1001	0.0100	0.1167	1.2240	0.0000	0.3970	
1200	21.5002	2.2002	0.1919	0.0290	0.0000	0.0317	7.0032	0.0001	0.1204	1.0740	0.0000	0.3505	
1200	22.0000	2.2002	0.2063	0.0272	0.0000	0.0306	7.1472	0.7937	0.1322	1.0970	0.0000	0.3505	
1100	18.3333	2.2002	0.2252	0.0253	0.3000	0.0339	4.5516	0.7750	0.1344	0.0900	0.0000	0.3103	
1000	17.5000	2.2002	0.2357	0.0200	0.2000	0.0402	0.2530	0.7643	0.1367	0.0340	0.0000	0.2977	
900	16.0000	2.2002	0.2573	0.0200	0.0000	0.0406	5.7356	0.7430	0.1440	0.7050	0.0000	0.2929	
800	14.6667	2.2002	0.2813	0.0215	0.0000	0.0494	5.2413	0.6906	0.1460	0.4070	0.0000	0.2822	
800	13.3333	2.2002	0.3094	0.0279	0.0000	0.0514	4.7640	0.6606	0.1442	0.0000	0.0000	0.2232	
700	11.0000	2.2002	0.3536	0.0466	0.3000	0.0577	4.1624	0.6444	0.1426	0.3700	0.0000	0.1912	
600	10.0000	2.2002	0.4125	0.0374	0.0000	0.0705	3.5730	0.5070	0.1340	0.3350	0.0000	0.1000	
500	9.0000	2.2002	0.4762	0.0254	0.0000	0.0805	3.0971	0.4200	0.1450	0.2430	0.0000	0.1000	
400	7.2500	2.2002	0.5602	0.0233	0.0000	0.1001	2.5900	0.4000	0.1532	0.1050	0.0000	0.1373	
300	5.0000	2.2002	0.7072	0.0202	0.0000	0.1004	2.0040	0.1920	0.1101	0.0500	0.0000	0.0723	
200	3.0000	2.2002	0.7610	0.0204	0.0000	0.0724	1.7357	0.2304	0.1075	0.0350	0.0000	0.0517	
100	1.5000	2.2002	1.1513	-0.1347	0.0000	0.0000	1.2000	-0.1513	0.0000	-0.1100	0.0000	0.0000	

METHOD 11 (VOLPIC-1)												EFFECTIVE SLIP	
RPM	(10-12-003)/(RHO-00003)	(10-12-004)/(RHO-00004)	VA	VA/SORT(D/12)	SORT(ND/12)	NSORT(D/12)	ETA						
1500	9.3992	7.2567	3.1973	4.0533	25.0000	90.2450	0.1069					0.0660	
1300	8.7355	6.0142	3.1973	4.0533	23.0000	87.0702	0.1167					0.0770	
1200	7.6000	4.1603	3.1973	4.0533	23.0000	83.6914	0.1204					0.0600	
1200	7.0000	3.1000	3.1973	4.0533	22.0000	77.5007	0.1322					0.0700	
1100	6.3446	2.3200	3.1973	4.0533	21.0000	73.0609	0.1344					0.0800	
1000	5.9521	1.7200	3.1973	4.0533	20.0000	67.7721	0.1367					0.0801	
900	5.6224	1.4246	3.1973	4.0533	19.0000	62.1630	0.1400					0.0775	
800	4.6175	1.0000	3.1973	4.0533	18.0000	56.8376	0.1442					0.0602	
700	3.5077	0.6253	3.1973	4.0533	17.0000	51.3970	0.1420					0.0711	
600	2.6426	0.2744	3.1973	4.0533	16.0000	45.1601	0.1426					0.0720	
500	2.3026	0.1659	3.1973	4.0533	15.0000	38.7203	0.1540					0.0720	
400	1.7442	0.1000	3.1973	4.0533	14.0000	33.5006	0.1457					0.0700	
300	1.3333	0.0000	3.1973	4.0533	13.0000	28.2703	0.1572					0.0700	
200	0.4116	0.0000	3.1973	4.0533	12.0000	22.9240	0.1101					0.0700	
100	0.2000	0.0000	3.1973	4.0533	11.0000	18.7000	0.1075					0.0700	
25	-0.6270	0.0000	3.1973	4.0533	9.0000	13.67019	0.0000					-0.2792	

THEMIS PROJECT NUMBER 1										OCTOBER 1998									
HIGH SPEED PADDLEWHEEL										LITTLE DO 0.500									
NUMBER OF BLADES = 6										LITTLE DO 0.500									
METHOD 1										LITTLE DO 0.500									
RPW	LITTLE N	LITTLE M	LAMBDA SUB 1	KT	KL	KQ	PROUDE NO.	SLIP	ETA	Y	L	Q							
1342	22.3333	2.0000	0.2634	0.2472	0.0000	0.0426	7.0010	0.7366	0.1450	1.3740	0.0000	0.5107							
1322	22.2222	2.0000	0.2674	0.2466	0.0000	0.0439	7.0019	0.7326	0.1481	1.3740	0.0000	0.5107							
1272	21.1467	2.0000	0.2779	0.2466	0.0000	0.0441	7.0041	0.7221	0.1530	1.2788	0.0000	0.4808							
1222	20.2222	2.0000	0.2941	0.2459	0.0000	0.0457	7.0072	0.7059	0.1629	1.1894	0.0000	0.4443							
1132	18.9333	2.0000	0.3123	0.2463	0.0000	0.0467	6.7302	0.6677	0.1748	0.9590	0.0000	0.4030							
1052	17.5000	2.0000	0.3361	0.2477	0.0000	0.0478	6.2538	0.6039	0.1867	0.8090	0.0000	0.3617							
942	15.6667	2.0000	0.3755	0.2505	0.0000	0.0506	5.1986	0.4245	0.1950	0.8590	0.0000	0.3417							
842	14.0000	2.0000	0.4222	0.2566	0.0000	0.0548	4.0030	0.2708	0.1957	0.7170	0.0000	0.3159							
742	12.3333	2.0000	0.4779	0.2652	0.0000	0.0606	4.0074	0.2230	0.2237	0.7410	0.0000	0.3235							
652	10.6667	2.0000	0.5436	0.2779	0.0000	0.0683	3.0714	0.1570	0.2864	0.7390	0.0000	0.2939							
575	9.5000	2.0000	0.6136	0.2932	0.0000	0.0803	3.4247	0.1062	0.2924	0.4620	0.0000	0.1977							
522	8.6667	2.0000	0.6788	0.3059	0.0000	0.0911	3.0971	0.0712	0.2757	0.2692	0.0000	0.1493							
445	7.4167	2.0000	0.7932	0.3232	0.0000	0.0979	2.6504	0.0463	0.1727	0.0812	0.0000	0.0775							
382	6.3333	2.0000	0.9249	0.3519	0.0000	0.1212	2.0833	0.0272	0.0377	0.0030	0.0000	0.0207							
275	4.5000	2.0000	1.2035	0.4156	0.0000	0.1608	1.0379	0.0035	0.0060	0.0050	0.0000	0.0000							

METHOD 1 (HVCLEPIC-)										EFFECTIVE SLIP																			
RPW	(7.12+0.3)/(RHO+0.03)	(0.12+0.4)/(RHO+0.04)	VA	VA/SORT(D/12)	SORT(D/12)	NSORT(D/12)	ETA																						
1342	9.8769	0.8496	4.5592	7.0630	23.6291	864.9663	0.1440																						
1322	9.8767	0.8496	4.5592	7.0630	23.4521	852.0963	0.1401																						
1272	9.8537	0.8502	4.5592	7.0630	23.0536	819.7815	0.1330																						
1222	7.9147	0.8502	4.5592	7.0630	22.3607	774.5967	0.1320																						
1132	6.8442	0.8502	4.5592	7.0630	21.6987	729.4110	0.1540																						
1052	6.3446	0.8502	4.5592	7.0630	20.9165	677.7721	0.1607																						
942	5.7737	0.8502	4.5592	7.0630	19.7886	606.7674	0.1750																						
842	5.6687	0.8502	4.5592	7.0630	18.7083	542.1217	0.1957																						
742	5.1456	0.8502	4.5592	7.0630	17.5594	477.8479	0.2230																						
652	5.2741	0.8502	4.5592	7.0630	16.4370	419.5732	0.2864																						
575	3.2922	0.8502	4.5592	7.0630	15.4785	371.1409	0.2994																						
522	2.5525	0.8502	4.5592	7.0630	14.7196	335.1586	0.2756																						
445	2.5781	0.8502	4.5592	7.0630	13.6100	287.2463	0.2727																						
382	-2.2406	0.8502	4.5592	7.0630	12.5031	245.2089	0.3277																						
275	-1.3223	0.8502	4.5592	7.0630	10.7044	177.5117	0.0000																						

HIGH SPEED PAOOLEWHEEL												
OCTOBER 1958												
NUMBER OF BLADES= 6												
D=5.0000												
LITTLE D/O=0.1000												
LITTLE D= 0.000												
VDS 3.000												
METHOD I												
QPM	LITTLE N	LITTLE M	LAMBDA SUB 1	MY	KL	KB	PROUDE NO.	SLIP	ETA	Y	L	G
162	26.6667	1.7687	2.1231	0.0101	0.0000	0.0105	9.5203	0.0000	0.0000	0.7510	0.0000	0.1000
152	25.6202	1.7687	2.1130	0.0177	0.0000	0.0129	8.9340	0.0000	0.0000	0.6470	0.0000	0.1000
142	23.3333	1.7687	2.1179	0.0189	0.0000	0.0137	8.3384	0.0000	0.0000	0.6010	0.0000	0.1000
132	19.6667	1.7687	2.1190	0.0245	0.0000	0.0170	7.8202	0.0000	0.0000	0.5540	0.0000	0.1000
122	21.1667	1.7687	2.1200	0.0225	0.0000	0.0161	7.5441	0.0000	0.0000	0.5200	0.0000	0.1000
110	17.3333	1.7687	2.1157	0.0290	0.0000	0.0212	6.1942	0.0000	0.0000	0.4200	0.0000	0.1000
902	15.5727	1.7687	2.1174	0.0239	0.0000	0.0252	5.5590	0.0000	0.0000	0.4620	0.0000	0.1000
802	14.3333	1.7687	2.1190	0.0235	0.0000	0.0209	5.1221	0.0000	0.0000	0.4500	0.0000	0.1000
702	13.1667	1.7687	2.1239	0.0399	0.0000	0.0326	4.7052	0.0000	0.0000	0.4010	0.0000	0.1000
712	11.6333	1.7687	2.1224	0.0453	0.0000	0.0379	4.2287	0.0000	0.0000	0.3700	0.0000	0.1000
625	12.4167	1.7687	2.1242	0.0493	0.0000	0.0431	3.7223	0.0000	0.0000	0.3100	0.0000	0.1000
535	8.9167	1.7687	2.1254	0.0496	0.0000	0.0427	3.1864	0.0000	0.0000	0.2310	0.0000	0.1000
425	7.2333	1.7687	2.1253	0.0428	0.0000	0.0456	2.5313	0.0000	0.0000	0.1700	0.0000	0.1000
252	4.1667	1.7687	2.1261	0.1144	0.0000	0.0918	1.4398	0.0000	0.0000	0.1100	0.0000	0.1000
102	3.1667	1.7687	2.1263	0.2393	0.0000	0.0635	1.1316	0.0000	0.0000	0.0200	0.0000	0.1000
155	2.1583	1.7687	2.1266	0.4450	0.0000	0.0477	0.9232	0.0000	0.0000	0.0100	0.0000	0.1000
METHOD II (VOLPICH)												
QPM	(T=12.003)/(RHO=0.003)	(O=12.004)/(RHO=0.004)	VA	VA/SORT(O/12)	SORT(MD/12)	MSORT(T/12)	ETA	EFFECTIVE SLIP				
162	5.3597	3.6974	2.1316	3.3822	25.6199	1832.7956	0.0002	0.0772				
152	4.6175	3.3429	2.1316	3.3822	25.6199	968.2452	0.0755	0.0000				
142	4.2892	3.3374	2.1316	3.3822	24.1523	983.6961	0.0014	0.0000				
132	3.9530	2.8761	2.1316	3.3822	22.1736	761.0607	0.0961	0.0335				
122	4.2736	3.2885	2.1316	3.3822	22.0636	671.7013	0.0900	0.0433				
110	3.7111	2.6549	2.1316	3.3822	20.0107	671.3171	0.1109	0.0311				
902	3.2972	2.5211	2.1316	3.3822	18.6108	602.3124	0.1168	0.7000				
802	3.2116	2.4779	2.1316	3.3822	18.9297	555.1276	0.1263	0.7716				
702	2.6433	2.2124	2.1316	3.3822	18.1436	509.0424	0.1361	0.7513				
712	2.6426	2.1244	2.1316	3.3822	17.1900	490.7030	0.1387	0.7233				
625	2.3267	1.9459	2.1316	3.3822	16.1374	483.4350	0.1510	0.6937				
535	1.6684	1.4559	2.1316	3.3822	14.9334	345.3418	0.1706	0.6520				
425	1.2704	1.3717	2.1316	3.3822	13.3873	274.5363	0.1796	0.5378				
252	0.8279	0.6637	2.1316	3.3822	10.2002	161.3743	0.1116	0.2442				
102	0.1641	0.2655	2.1316	3.3822	0.8976	122.6445	0.2685	0.0339				
155	-1.11562	-2.11527	2.1316	3.3822	0.0364	100.0221	0.3368	0.2074				

HIGH SPEED PADDLEWHEEL												
OCTOBER 1968												
NUMBER OF BLADES= 6												
D=5.2083												
LITTLE D/D=0.1688												
LITTLE D= 0.000												
V=9.4.000												
METHOD I												
RPM	LITTLE N	LITTLE M	LAMBDA SUB 1	KT	KL	KQ	PROUDE NO.	SLIP	ETA	T	L	Q
1612	26.8333	1.7222	2.1310	2.2253	0.0002	0.0107	9.5891	0.0690	0.0993	1.0020	0.0000	0.2919
1432	23.8333	1.7002	2.1475	2.2272	0.0000	0.0222	8.5178	0.0525	0.0800	0.0010	0.0000	0.3074
1672	27.8333	1.7002	2.1263	2.2255	0.0002	0.0104	9.9465	0.0737	0.0862	1.0160	0.0000	0.3100
1252	22.8333	1.7222	2.1657	2.2237	0.0000	0.0222	7.4458	0.0313	0.1124	0.0000	0.0000	0.2335
1122	18.8667	1.7222	2.1883	2.2255	0.0000	0.0202	6.6787	0.0117	0.1218	0.0000	0.0000	0.2454
932	15.9222	1.7222	2.2267	2.2494	0.0000	0.0305	5.5390	0.7733	0.1456	0.0000	0.0000	0.2247
862	14.3333	1.7222	2.2452	2.2512	0.0000	0.0423	5.1221	0.7548	0.1551	0.0120	0.0000	0.2015
742	12.3333	1.7222	2.2849	2.2527	0.0000	0.0435	4.4874	0.7151	0.1521	0.0308	0.0000	0.1757
662	11.2222	1.7222	2.3195	2.2620	0.0000	0.0544	3.9329	0.6865	0.1554	0.0308	0.0000	0.1602
565	9.4167	1.7222	2.3732	2.2666	0.0000	0.0635	3.3651	0.6268	0.1696	0.0308	0.0000	0.1363
432	7.1667	1.7222	2.4624	2.2527	0.0000	0.0809	2.5611	0.5296	0.2226	0.2422	0.0000	0.1131
334	5.5722	1.7222	2.6392	2.2142	0.0000	0.1123	1.9655	0.3618	0.2963	0.1040	0.0000	0.0827
275	4.5333	1.7222	2.7667	2.2448	0.0000	0.0917	1.6379	0.2333	0.3497	0.1040	0.0000	0.0795
227	3.7333	1.7222	2.9289	2.2419	0.0000	0.0648	1.3520	0.2711	0.2913	0.0350	0.0000	0.0332
222	3.3333	1.7222	3.0543	-0.1786	0.0000	0.0896	1.1912	-0.0543	-0.0020	-0.1160	0.0000	0.0026
METHOD II (VOLUME)												
RPM	(T+12+3)/(2+0+0+3)	(D+12+3)/(2+0+0+3)	VA	VA/SORT(D/12)	SORT(ND/12)	NSORT(D/12)	ETA	EFFECTIVE SLIP				
1612	7.5793	5.2272	2.7237	4.2195	25.9885	1839.2505	0.0993	0.0441				
1432	6.4327	5.2655	2.7237	4.2195	24.4897	-23.0410	0.0993	0.0245				
1672	7.2517	5.3298	2.7237	4.2195	26.3787	1877.9884	0.0993	0.0407				
1252	6.2163	4.5133	2.7237	4.2195	22.8118	886.8715	0.1210	0.7902				
1122	5.4562	4.6136	2.7237	4.2195	21.6225	722.9569	0.1210	0.7759				
932	4.9454	2.8496	2.7237	4.2195	19.0850	688.3124	0.1456	0.7301				
862	4.3477	2.4514	2.7237	4.2195	18.0297	555.1276	0.1521	0.7001				
742	3.2114	2.0299	2.7237	4.2195	17.5594	477.6670	0.1521	0.6688				
662	2.6492	2.7434	2.7237	4.2195	16.5831	426.8232	0.1554	0.6197				
565	2.8111	2.5170	2.7237	4.2195	15.3433	364.7859	0.1696	0.5557				
432	1.7271	1.9227	2.7237	4.2195	13.3853	277.5638	0.2226	0.4162				
334	1.5332	2.4159	2.7237	4.2195	11.7268	213.0141	0.2963	0.2963				
275	2.7122	2.8136	2.7237	4.2195	10.7044	177.5117	0.3497	0.0072				
227	2.2655	2.1952	2.7237	4.2195	9.1254	146.8279	0.2913	-0.1850				
222	-3.6279	-1.0442	2.7237	4.2195	9.1257	129.8994	-0.0621	-0.2951				

HIGH SPEED PADDLEWHEEL													
OCTOBER 1960													
NUMBER OF BLADES= 6													
DES. 6000													
LITTLE D/D00, 1.000													
LITTLE D0 = 0.000													
VO = 3.400													
METHOD 1													
RPM	LITTLE N	LITTLE H	LAMODA SUB 1	KY	KL	KQ	PROUDE NO.	SLIP	EYA	Y	L	Q	
1300	22.6667	1.7020	0.1020	0.8439	0.0002	0.0356	0.1001	0.0100	0.1124	1.3170	0.0000	0.4443	
1200	22.3333	1.7020	0.2020	0.8527	0.0002	0.0426	7.2603	0.7971	0.1153	1.2710	0.0000	0.4200	
1100	18.3333	1.7020	0.2100	0.2524	0.0000	0.0443	6.7302	0.7010	0.1294	1.0000	0.0000	0.3023	
1000	17.3333	1.7020	0.2300	0.2632	0.0000	0.0500	6.1942	0.7620	0.1470	1.0000	0.0000	0.3720	
900	16.5007	1.7020	0.2500	0.2596	0.0000	0.0604	5.0904	0.7500	0.1540	0.9470	0.0000	0.3003	
800	15.7020	1.7020	0.2700	0.2580	0.0000	0.0529	5.3604	0.7250	0.1500	0.7420	0.0000	0.2803	
700	13.6667	1.7020	0.3019	0.2500	0.0000	0.0569	4.0859	0.6901	0.1340	0.5540	0.0000	0.2303	
600	11.6333	1.7020	0.3400	0.2550	0.0000	0.0667	4.2207	0.6514	0.1430	0.4500	0.0000	0.2073	
500	10.4167	1.7020	0.3900	0.2504	0.0000	0.0703	3.7225	0.6040	0.1477	0.3700	0.0000	0.1834	
400	9.4167	1.7020	0.4000	0.2670	0.0000	0.0704	3.0000	0.5299	0.1542	0.2700	0.0000	0.1634	
300	6.4167	1.7020	0.6000	0.2670	0.0000	0.0704	2.4410	0.3943	0.1542	0.1620	0.0000	0.1033	
250	5.9167	1.7020	0.6000	0.2670	0.0000	0.0704	2.2930	0.3571	0.1500	0.0020	0.0000	0.0052	
200	5.5000	1.7020	0.6000	0.2670	0.0000	0.0704	2.1144	0.2400	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	
150	4.4167	1.7020	0.7500	-0.2711	0.0000	0.0329	1.5703	0.0659	-1.0164	-0.0010	0.0000	0.0155	
100	3.5333	1.7020	1.0700	-0.2693	0.0000	0.0302	1.3600	-0.0702	0.0000	-0.2310	0.0000	0.0000	
METHOD 11 (VOLUME)													
RPM	(0+12+0+4)/(RHO+0+0+4)				VA	VA/SURT(D/12)		SORT (NO/12)		MSORT (D/12)		EYA	EFFECTIVE SLIP
1300	9.3992				3.1973	4.9333		23.0040		0.77.0702		0.1124	0.7033
1200	9.2729				3.1973	4.9333		22.3402		0.707.5066		0.1253	0.7585
1100	7.7504				3.1973	4.9333		21.6907		0.720.4110		0.1296	0.7392
1000	7.9447				3.1973	4.9333		20.0147		0.71.3171		0.1470	0.7167
900	6.7586				3.1973	4.9333		18.3181		0.69.0423		0.1500	0.7004
800	5.4000				3.1973	4.9333		16.3649		0.60.0475		0.1500	0.6724
700	3.9336				3.1973	4.9333		14.4042		0.50.3077		0.1340	0.6400
600	3.2116				3.1973	4.9333		12.1900		0.40.3030		0.1430	0.5853
500	2.6024				3.1973	4.9333		10.1374		0.40.3250		0.1477	0.5203
400	1.9769				3.1973	4.9333		8.1525		0.35.0701		0.1500	0.4145
300	2.2267				3.1973	4.9333		6.1273		0.24.0539		0.1340	0.2813
250	1.1662				3.1973	4.9333		4.0696		0.20.5164		0.1200	0.2346
200	0.6566				3.1973	4.9333		2.1621		0.20.1515		0.1000	0.1697
150	0.2222				3.1973	4.9333		1.1726		0.21.0141		0.0000	0.1071
100	-0.5781				3.1973	4.9333		0.5079		0.17.0562		-1.0100	-0.1120
50	-1.6486				3.1973	4.9333		0.7895		0.10.4044		0.0000	0.0202

HIGH SPEED PADDLEWHEEL										OCTOBER 1968																			
TOWNS PROJECT NUMBER 1										LITTLE D/D=8.1688				VS= 7.700															
NUMBER OF BLADES= 6										LITTLE D/D=8.1688				LITTLE D= 6.000															
METHOD I																													
RPM	LITTLE N	LITTLE M	LAMBDA SUB 1	KY	KL	KO	FRAUDE NO.	SLIP	ETA	Y	L	G																	
1222	28.3333	1.7222	0.2803	2.3488	0.0000	0.0535	7.2363	0.7107	0.1272	1.1783	0.0000	0.3940																	
1112	18.5722	1.7222	0.3132	2.3520	0.0000	0.0645	6.6111	0.6820	0.1251	1.0150	0.0000	0.3373																	
782	132.6722	1.7222	0.2433	2.3209	0.0000	0.0211	46.4565	0.9547	0.0109	0.9810	0.0000	0.4495																	
922	15.3333	1.7222	0.3936	2.3673	0.0000	0.0049	5.4795	0.6164	0.1521	0.9240	0.0000	0.4097																	
702	12.6667	1.7222	0.4644	2.3864	0.0000	0.1305	4.5265	0.5359	0.1940	0.8090	0.0000	0.4237																	
882	11.3333	1.7222	0.5132	2.3942	0.0000	0.1208	4.0581	2.4018	0.1802	0.7858	0.0000	0.4830																	
522	3.5333	1.7222	0.6659	2.4863	0.0000	0.2871	3.1367	0.3341	0.3290	0.3950	0.0000	0.1653																	
612	12.1667	1.7222	0.5756	2.4192	0.0000	0.1119	3.6331	0.4214	0.2843	0.6593	0.0000	0.2700																	
482	9.0000	1.7222	0.7333	2.2275	0.0000	0.2631	2.8589	0.2647	0.1623	0.1840	0.0000	0.0902																	
422	7.3333	1.7222	0.9422	-2.3373	0.0000	0.2434	2.6286	0.1978	-0.0678	-0.0230	0.0000	0.0540																	
375	6.2527	1.7222	2.9412	-2.2621	0.0000	0.2217	2.2335	0.2508	-1.2999	-0.1370	0.0000	0.0207																	
310	5.1667	1.7222	1.1306	-0.1777	0.0000	0.0202	1.8463	-0.1366	12.7109	-0.2770	0.0000	0.0552																	
METHOD II (VCLPIC-)										SORT(ND/12)				ETA				EFFECTIVE											
RPM	(T*1200.3)/(R-C*0.03)	(D*1200.4)/(R*0.0004)				VA/SORT(12)				NSORT(12/12)				ETA				EFFECTIVE											
1222	6.4722	9.3576				4.3592				7.2638				22.3462				787.5066				0.1272				0.0590			
1112	7.2439	9.2234				4.3592				7.2638				21.5858				716.5819				0.1251				0.0615			
782	6.1223	7.6992				4.3592				7.2638				57.8200				583.8753				0.0189				0.0401			
922	6.5944	8.3187				4.3592				7.2638				19.5780				593.8574				0.1521				0.0433			
702	5.7737	7.2567				4.3592				7.2638				17.7951				496.5779				0.1047				0.0471			
882	5.2515	6.9527				4.3592				7.2638				16.9325				438.9381				0.1892				0.0421			
522	5.2515	2.8319				4.3592				7.2638				14.0825				342.1135				0.3298				0.0772			
612	4.0767	4.7798				4.3592				7.2638				15.9426				393.7533				0.2843				0.0412			
482	2.7462	1.6314				4.3592				7.2638				14.1421				336.0327				0.1623				0.1346			
422	-2.1641	2.9735				4.3592				7.2638				13.5481				284.8108				-0.0676				0.0550			
375	-2.0777	2.3545				4.3592				7.2638				12.8228				242.8615				-1.2999				-0.1385			
310	-1.1676	2.2835				4.3592				7.2638				11.3452				208.1841				-12.7163				-0.3554			

METHOD II (VOLPIC-)										NSORT(D/12)				ETA				EFFECTIVE SLIP			
RPM	(7.012003)/(R-C=0.003)	(0.312000)/(1.34000004)	VA	VA/SORT(D/12)	SORT(MD/12)																
1222	6.4772	9.5576	4.5592	7.0030	22.5402																
1112	7.2439	9.2236	4.5592	7.2030	21.5050																
782	6.4323	7.6922	4.5592	7.0030	57.0200																
922	6.5744	8.3167	4.5592	7.0030	19.4700																
702	5.7737	7.2557	4.5592	7.2030	17.7921																
882	5.2315	6.9027	4.5592	7.2030	16.8325																
512	2.6249	2.9319	4.5592	7.2030	14.8025																
612	4.6967	4.7798	4.5592	7.2030	15.9426																
482	3.7422	1.6034	4.5592	7.2030	14.1421																
422	-0.1541	2.9735	4.5592	7.2030	13.5401																
375	-2.9777	2.3543	4.5592	7.2030	12.5200																
310	-1.9769	2.2835	4.5592	7.2030	11.3032																

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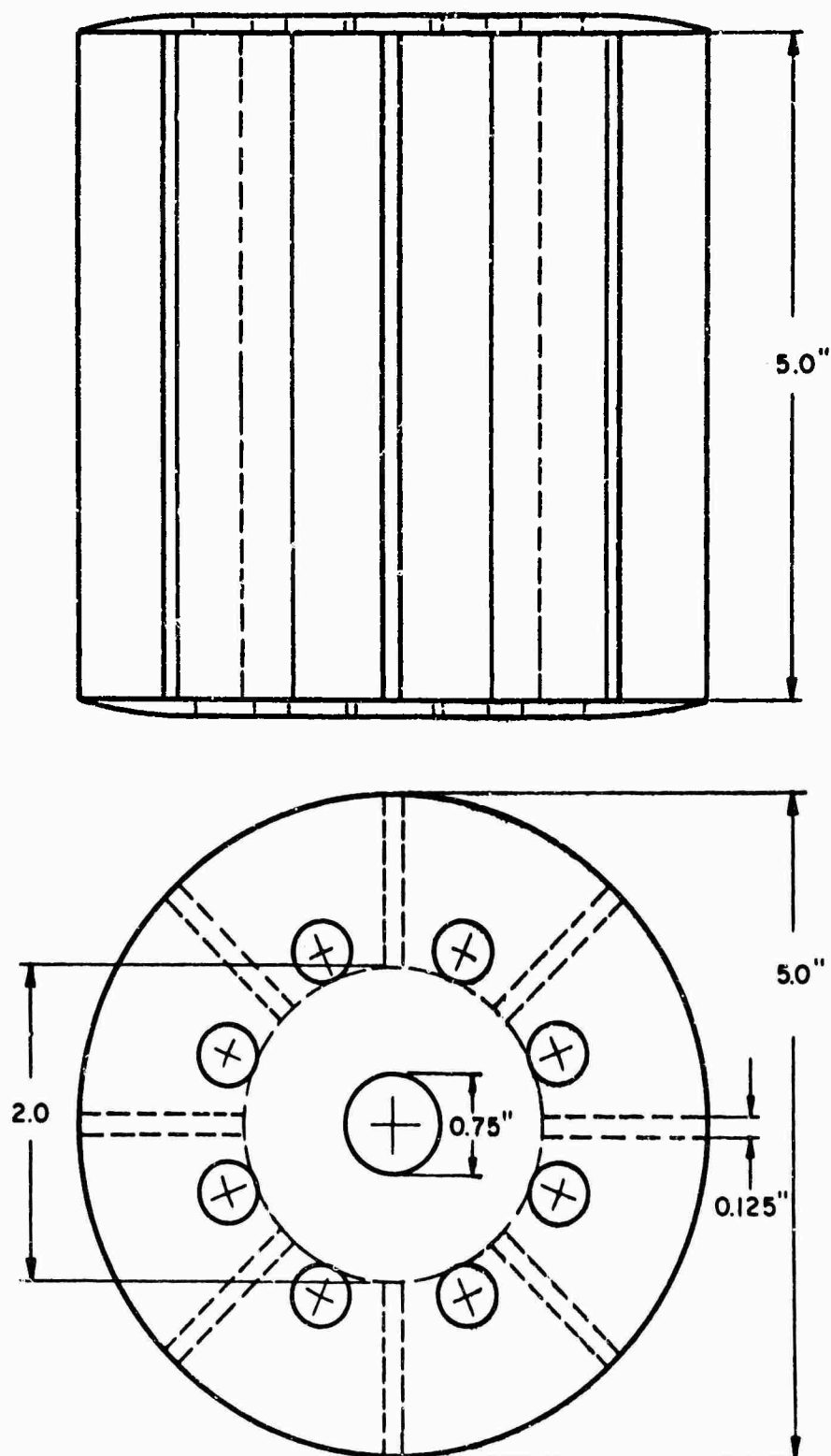


FIGURE 1. MODEL PADDLE WHEEL WITH FIXED RADIAL BLADES AND END PLATES

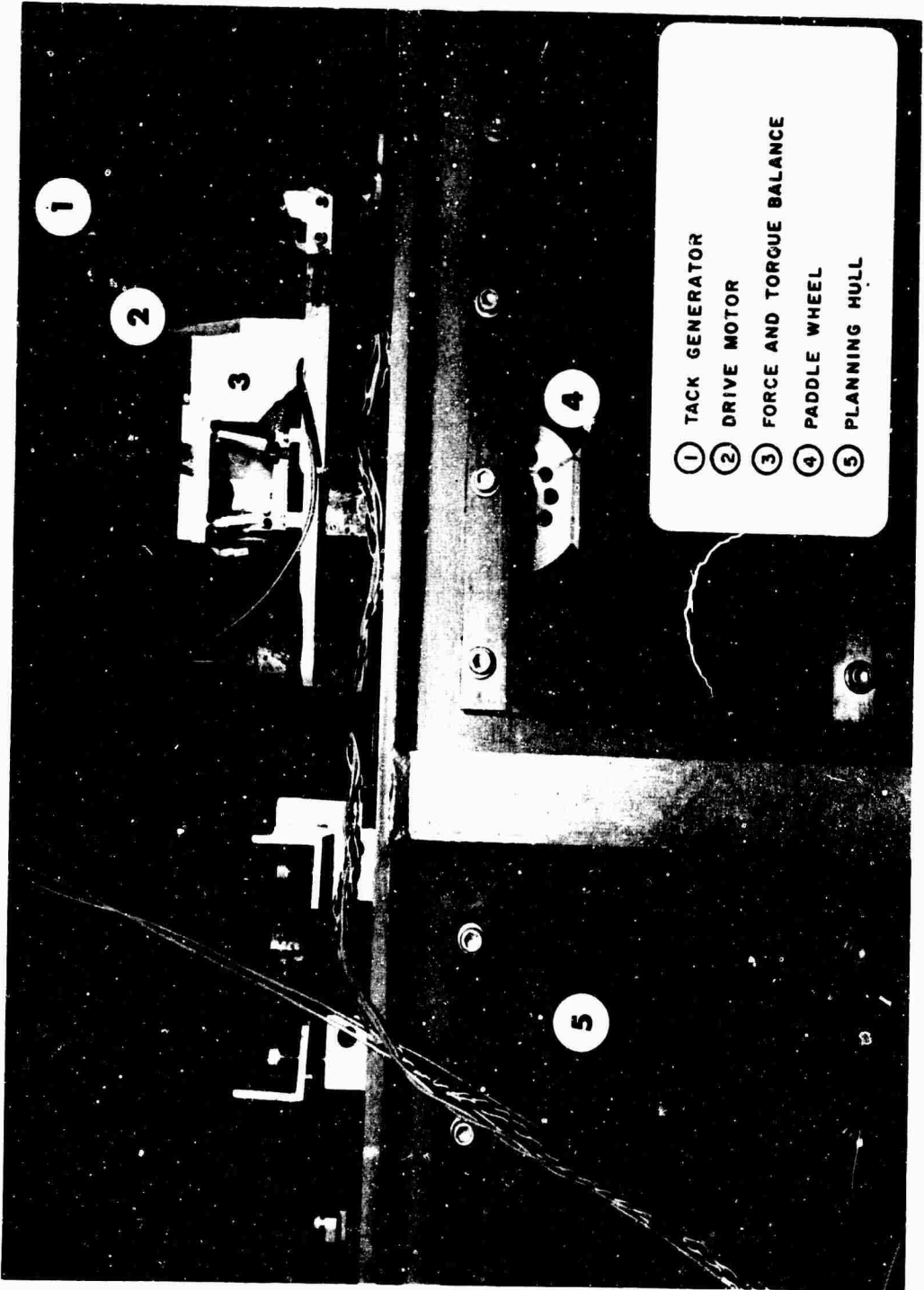


FIGURE 2. PADDLE WHEEL TEST ASSEMBLY INSTALLED IN WATER CHANNEL

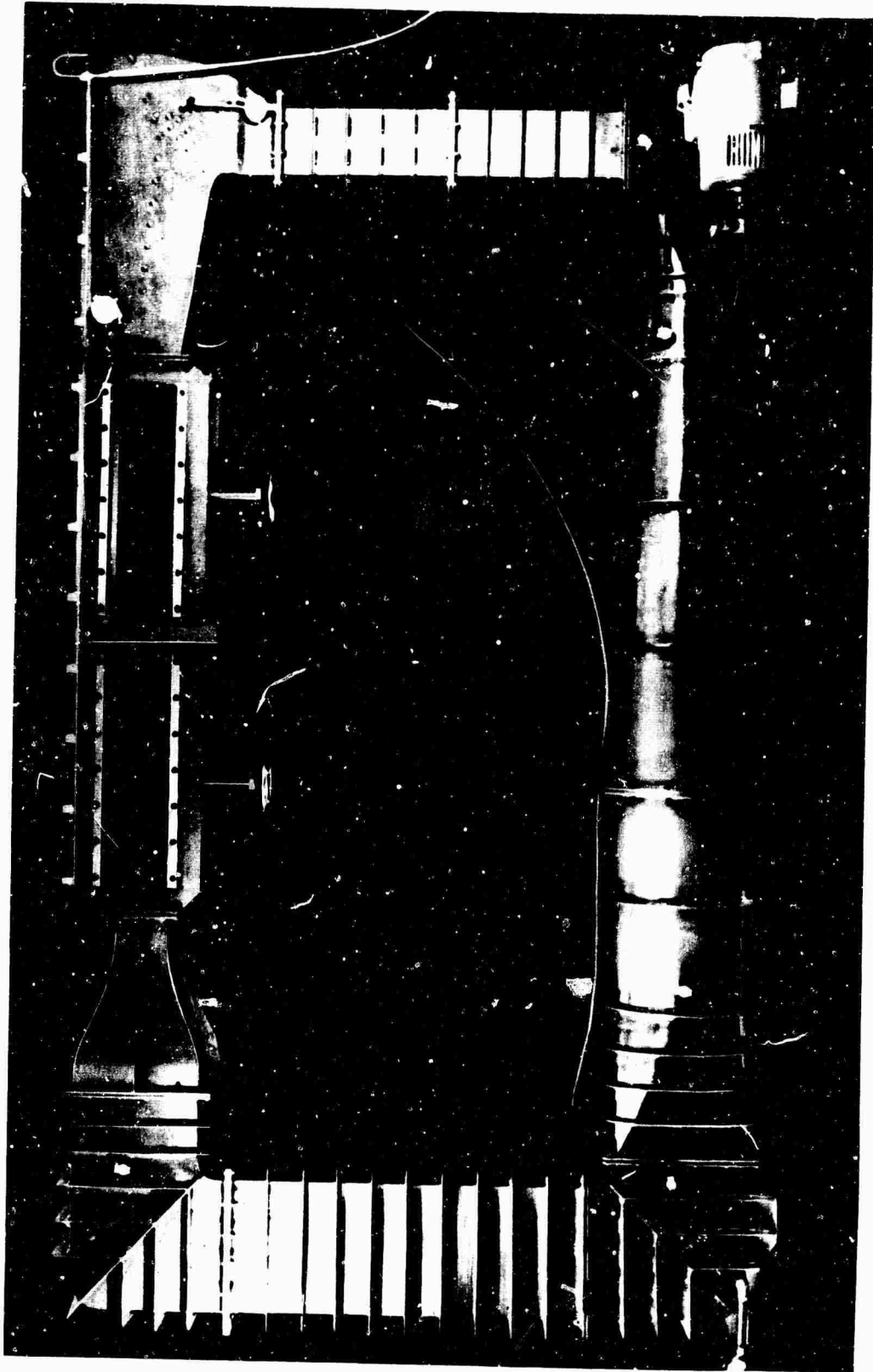


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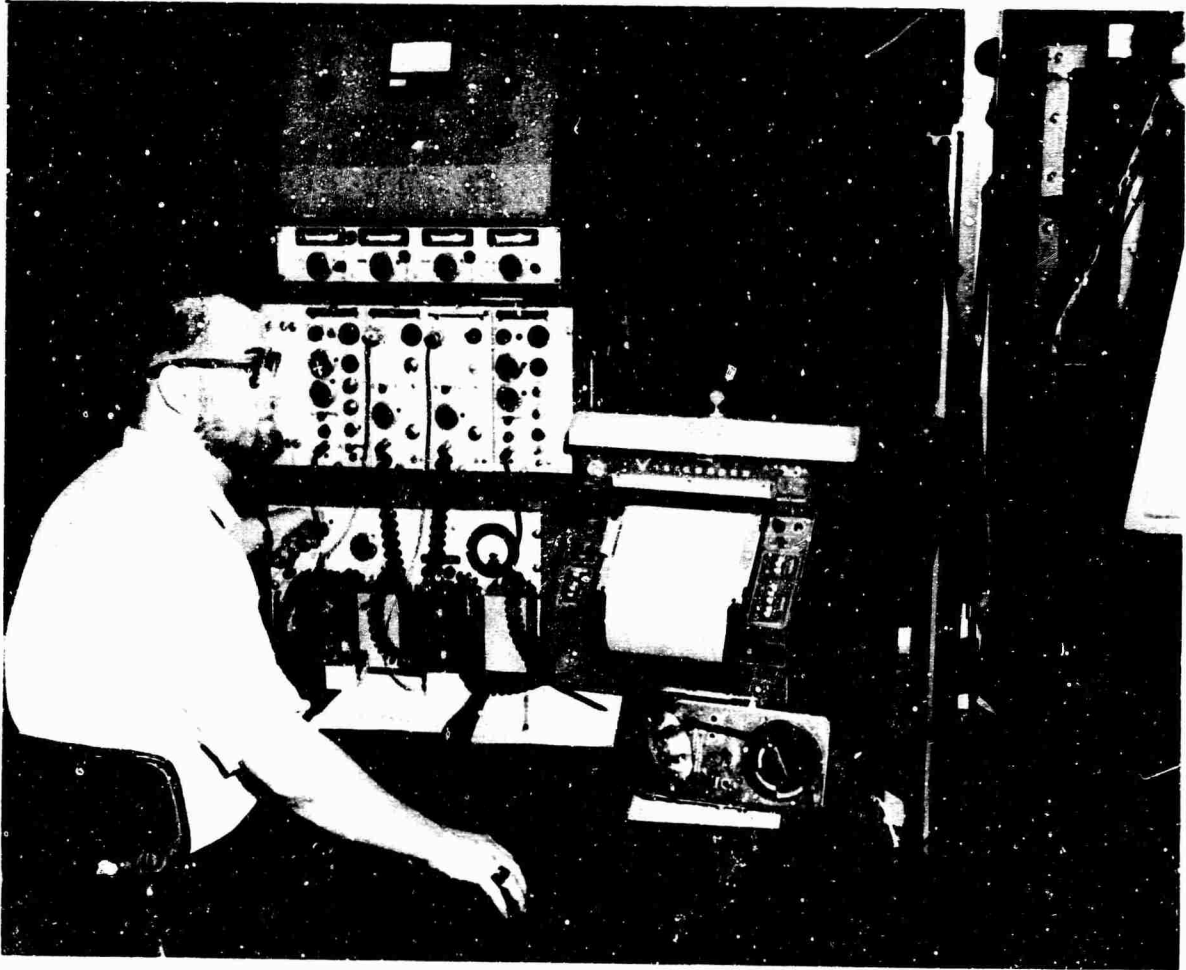


FIGURE 4. RECORDING EQUIPMENT FOR WHEEL THRUST AND TORQUE, AND WHEEL SPEED CONTROLLER

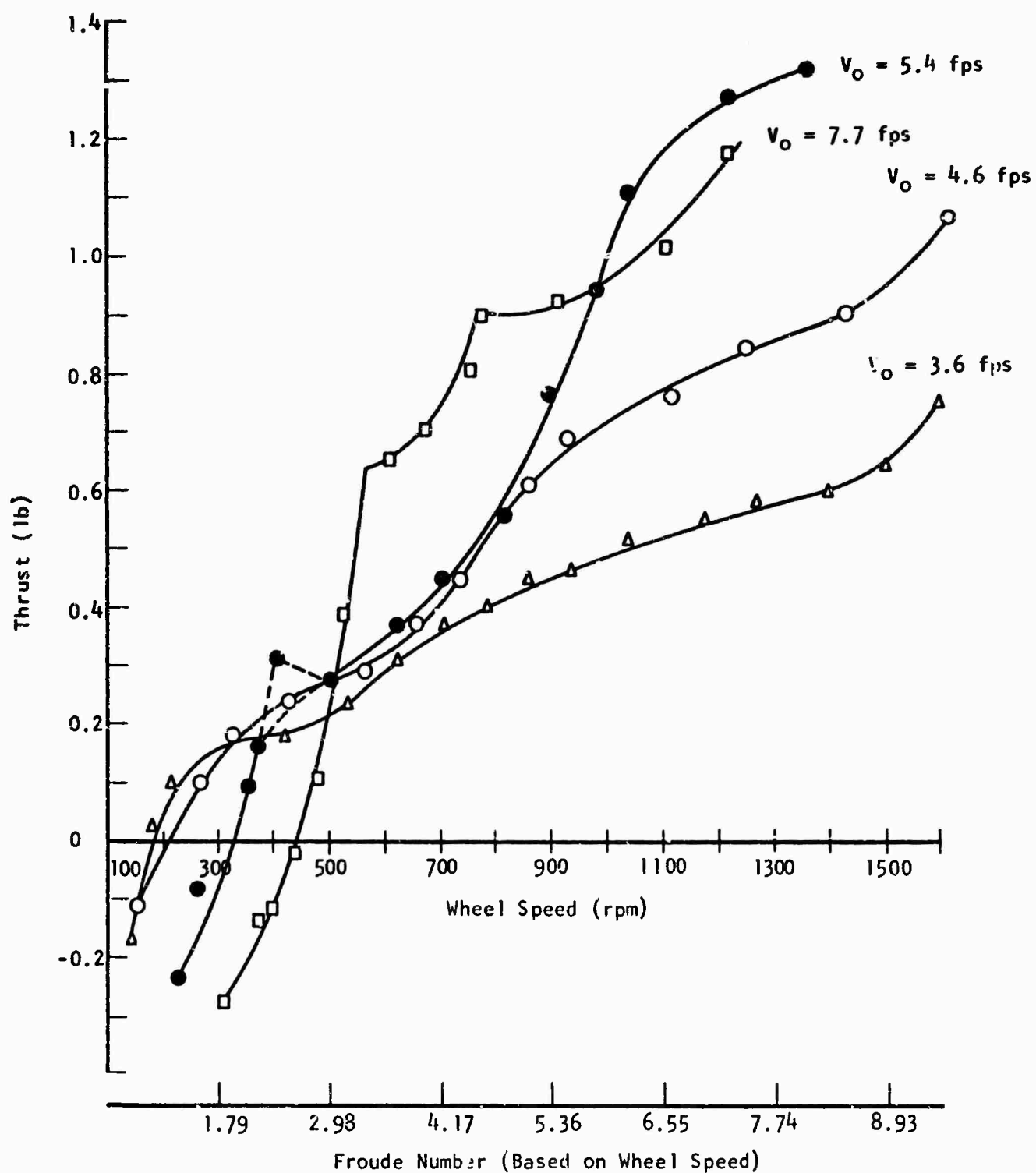


FIGURE 5. WHEEL THRUST VERSUS WHEEL SPEED FOR VARIOUS ADVANCE VELOCITIES (V_o), FOR A 6-BLADE WHEEL WITH A BLADE IMMERSION DEPTH OF 0.80 INCH

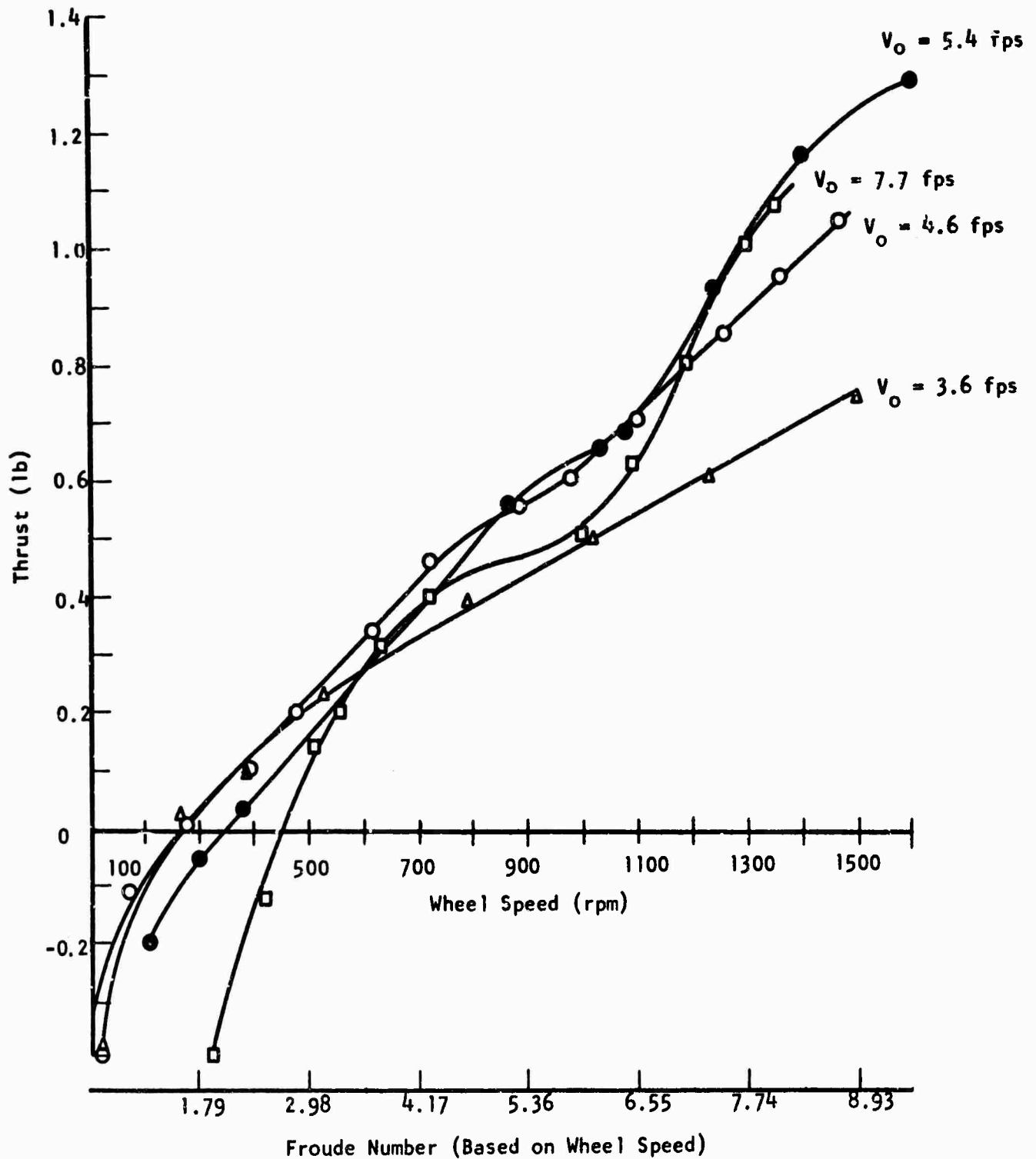


FIGURE 6. WHEEL THRUST VERSUS WHEEL SPEED FOR VARIOUS ADVANCE VELOCITIES (V_o), FOR A 12-BLADE WHEEL WITH A BLADE IMMERSION DEPTH OF 0.80 INCH

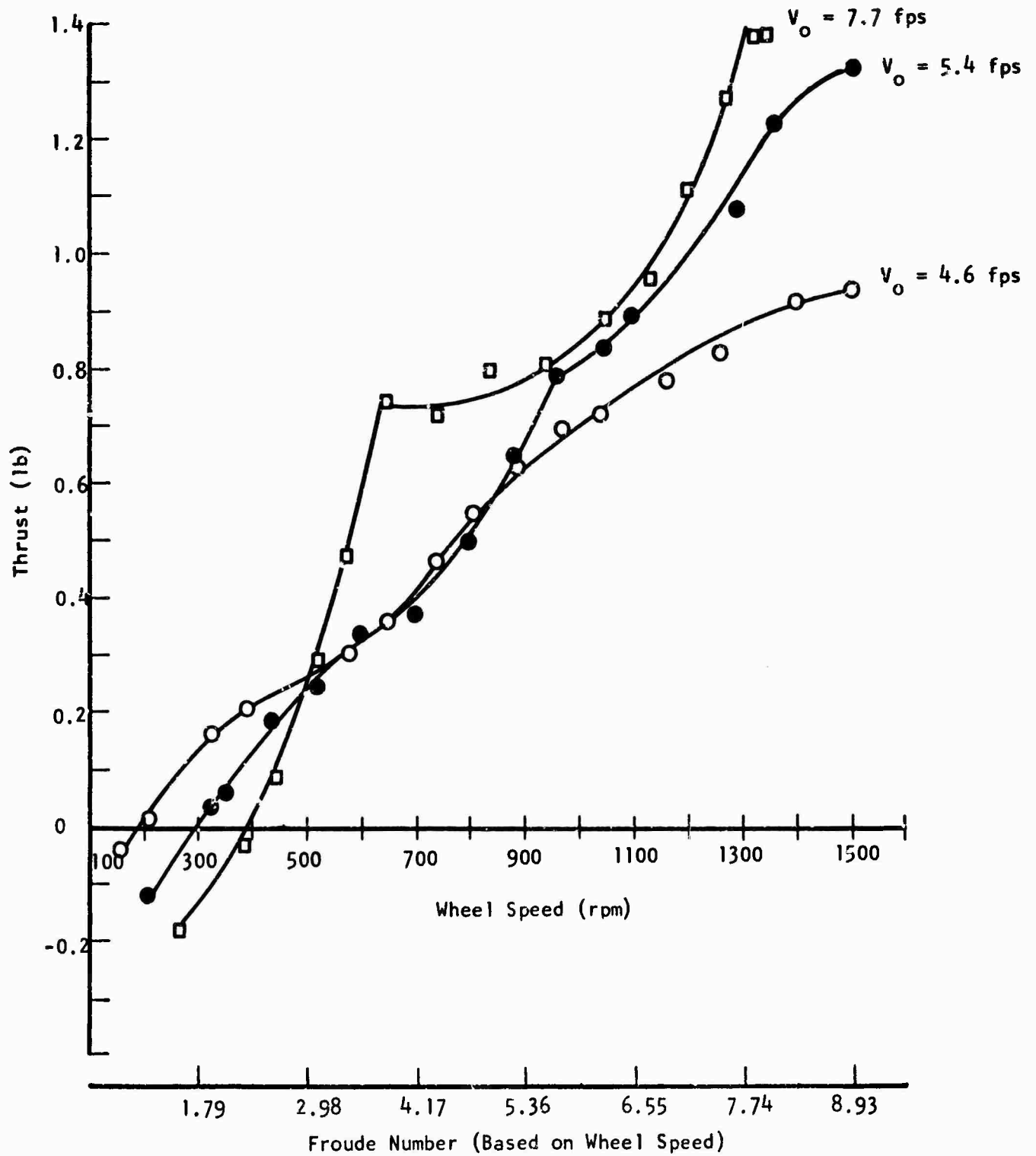


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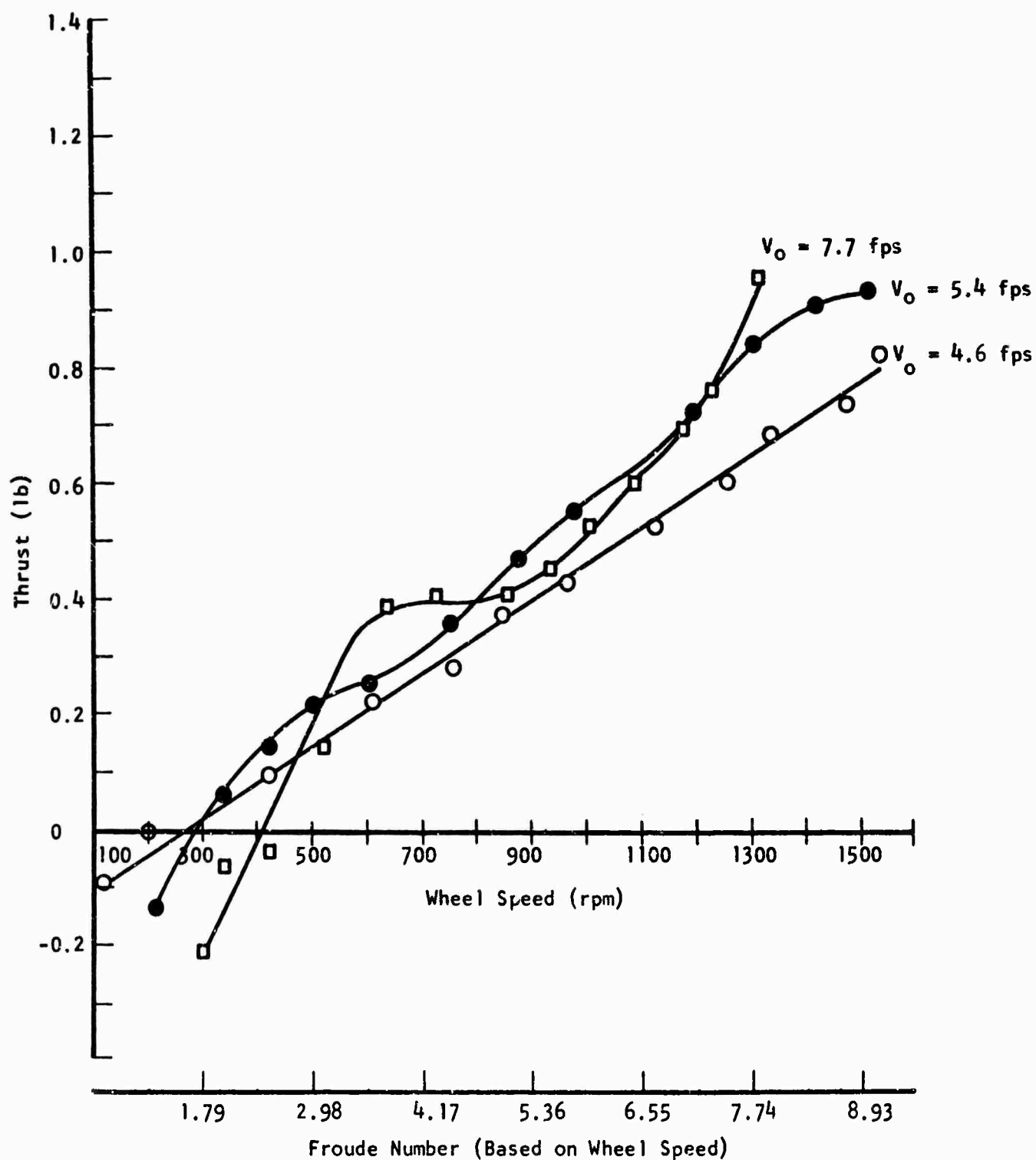


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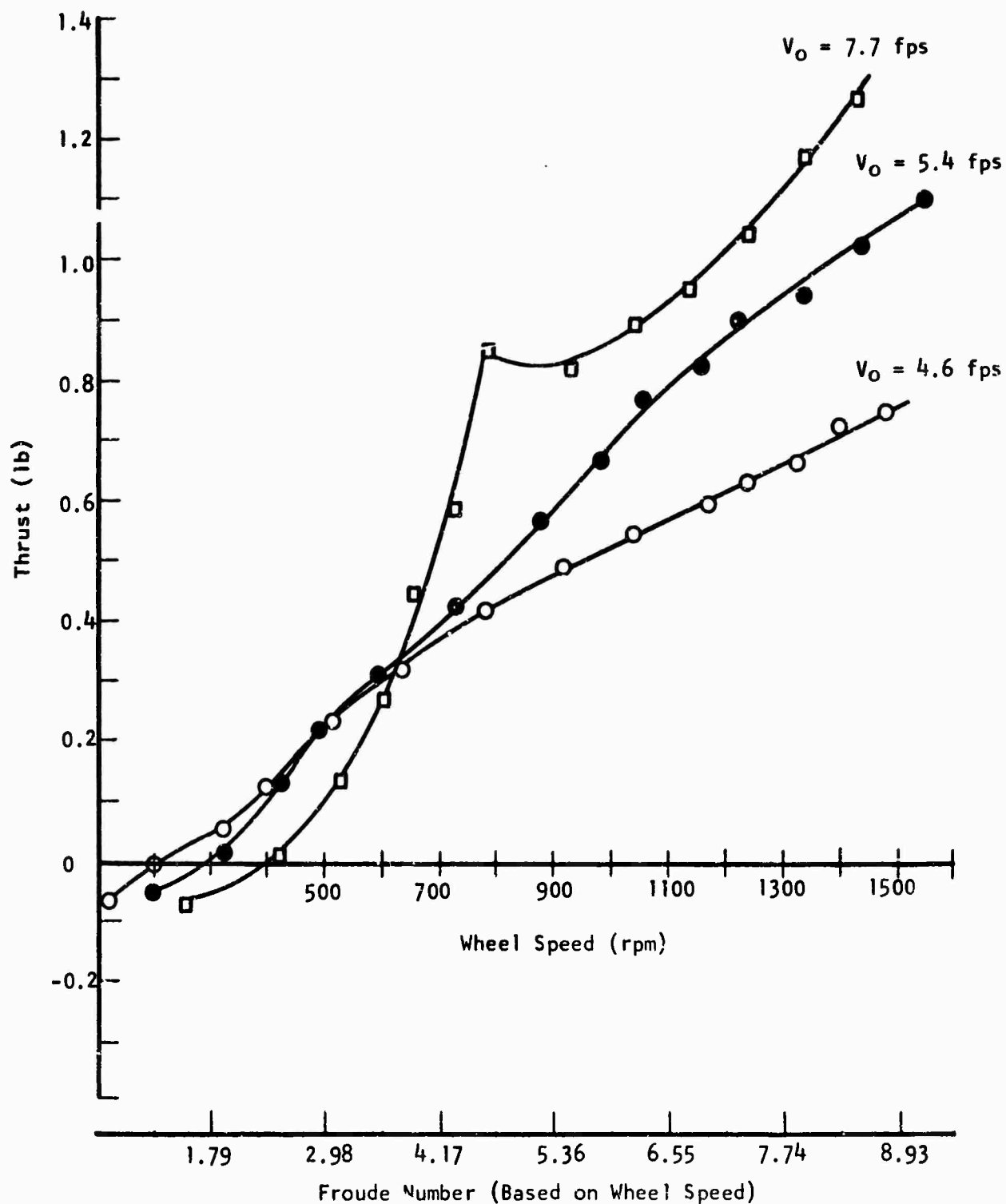


FIGURE 9. WHEEL THRUST VERSUS WHEEL SPEED FOR VARIOUS ADVANCE VELOCITIES (V_0), FOR A 6-BLADE WHEEL WITH A BLADE IMMERSION DEPTH OF 0.30 INCH

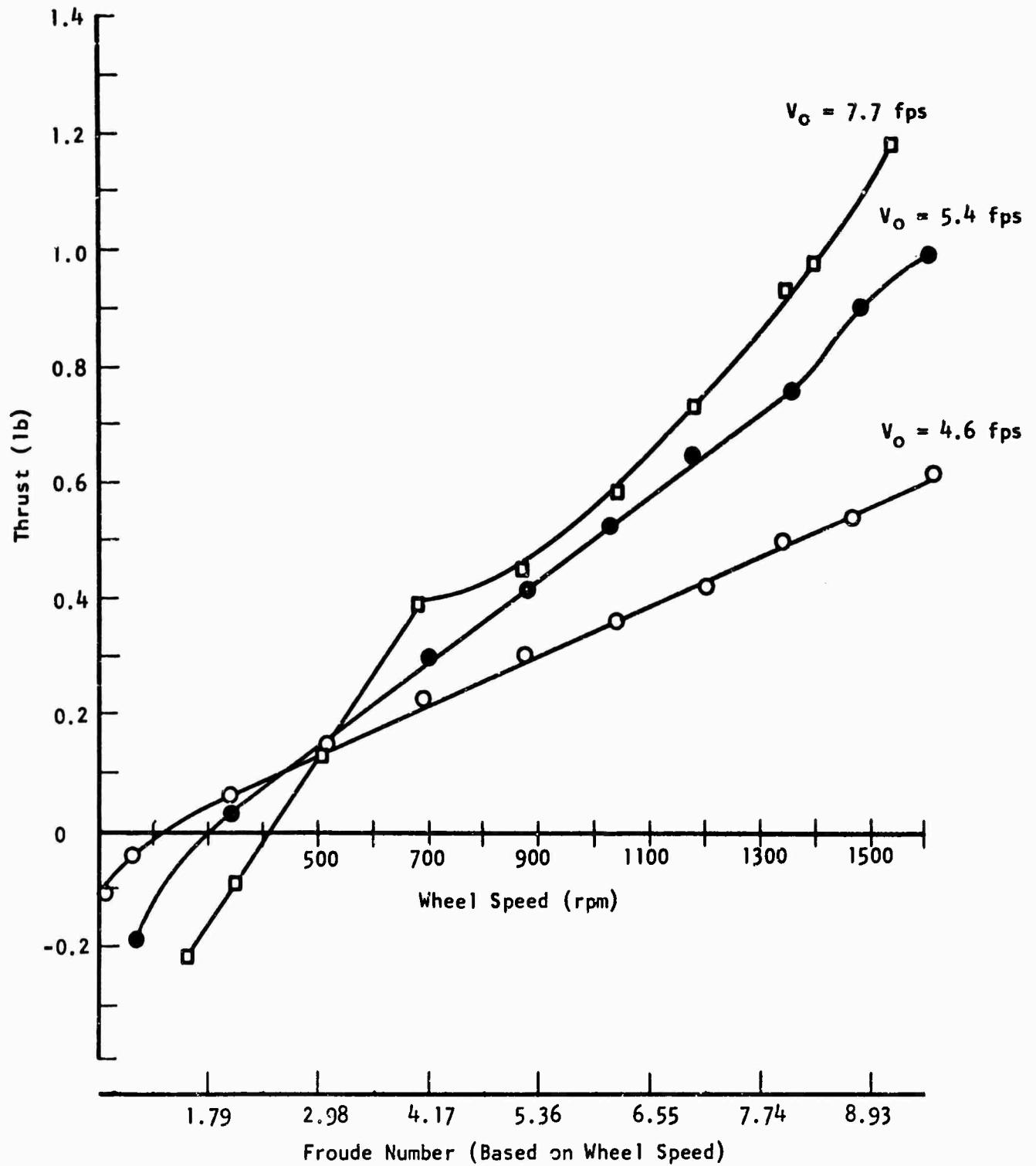


FIGURE 10. WHEEL THRUST VERSUS WHEEL SPEED FOR VARIOUS ADVANCE VELOCITIES (V_o), FOR A 12-BLADE WHEEL WITH A BLADE IMMERSION DEPTH OF 0.30 INCH

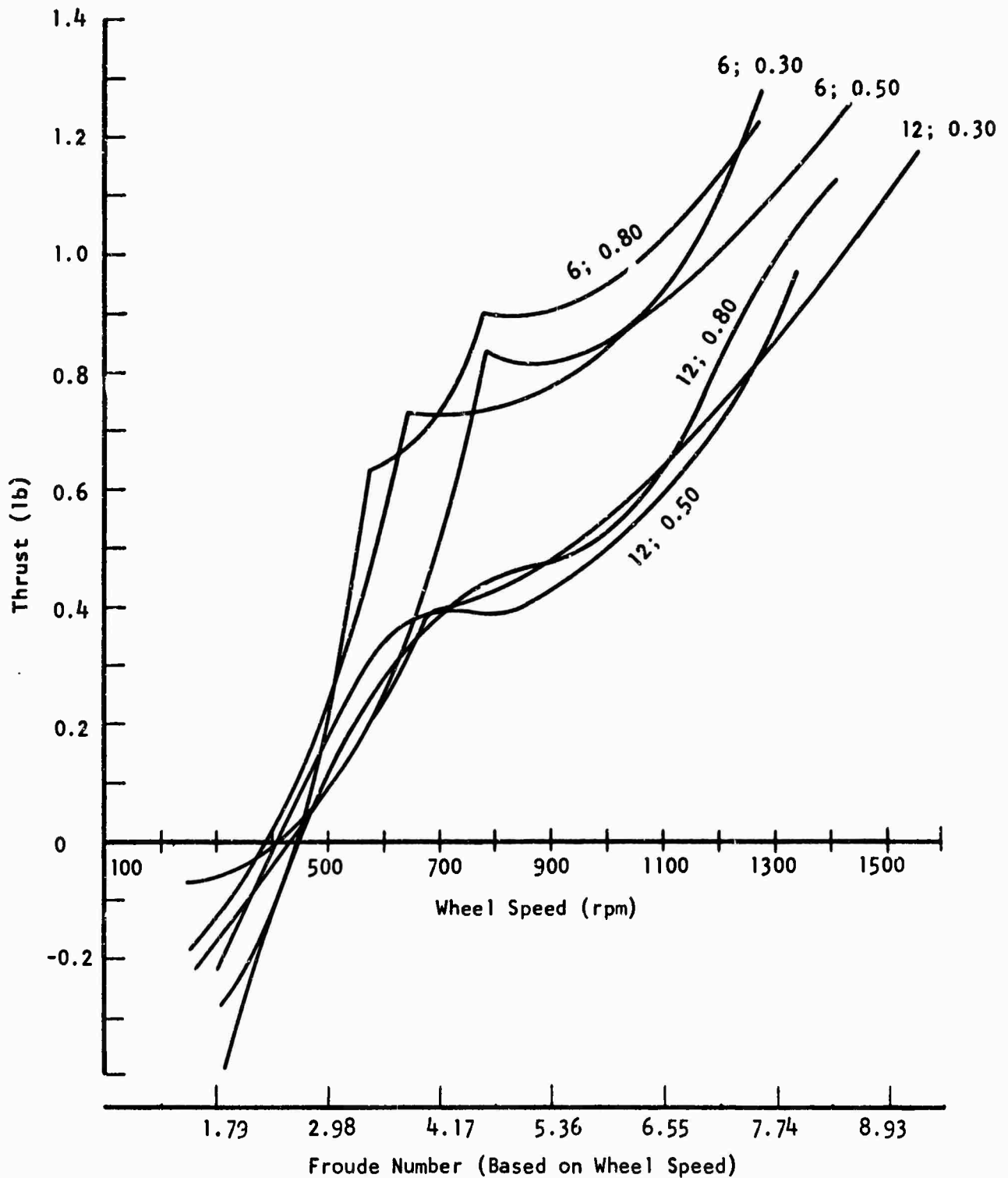


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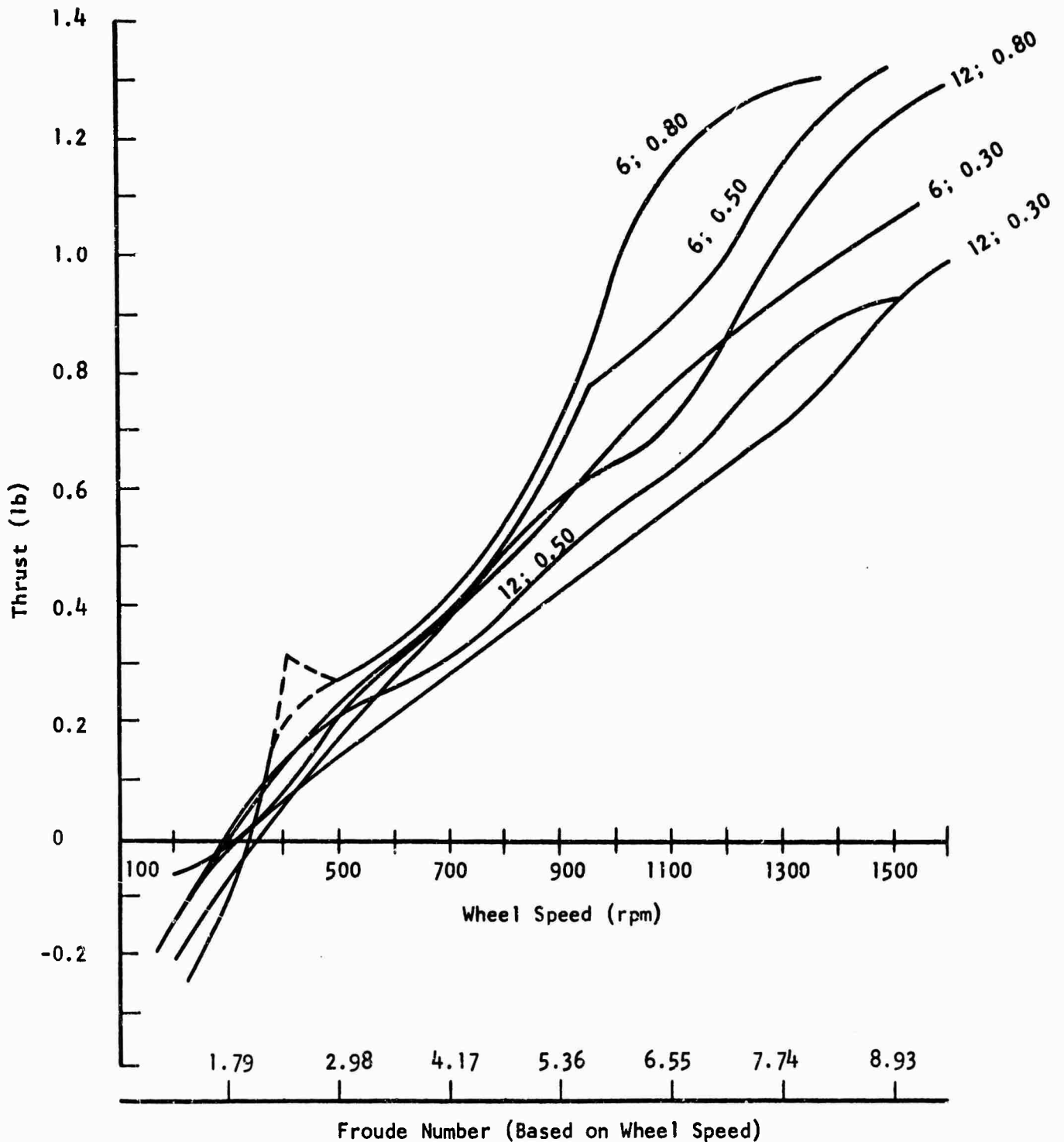


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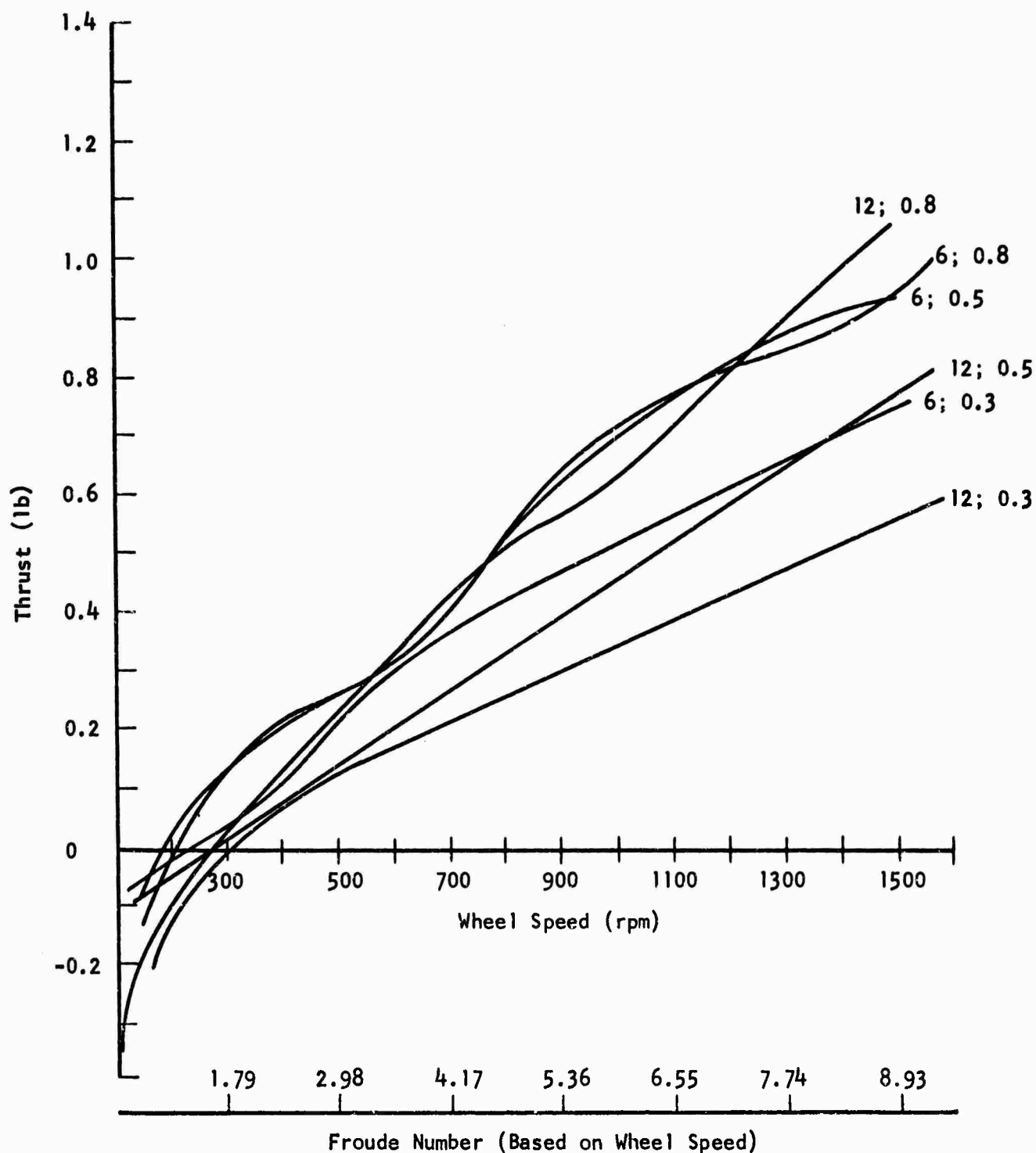


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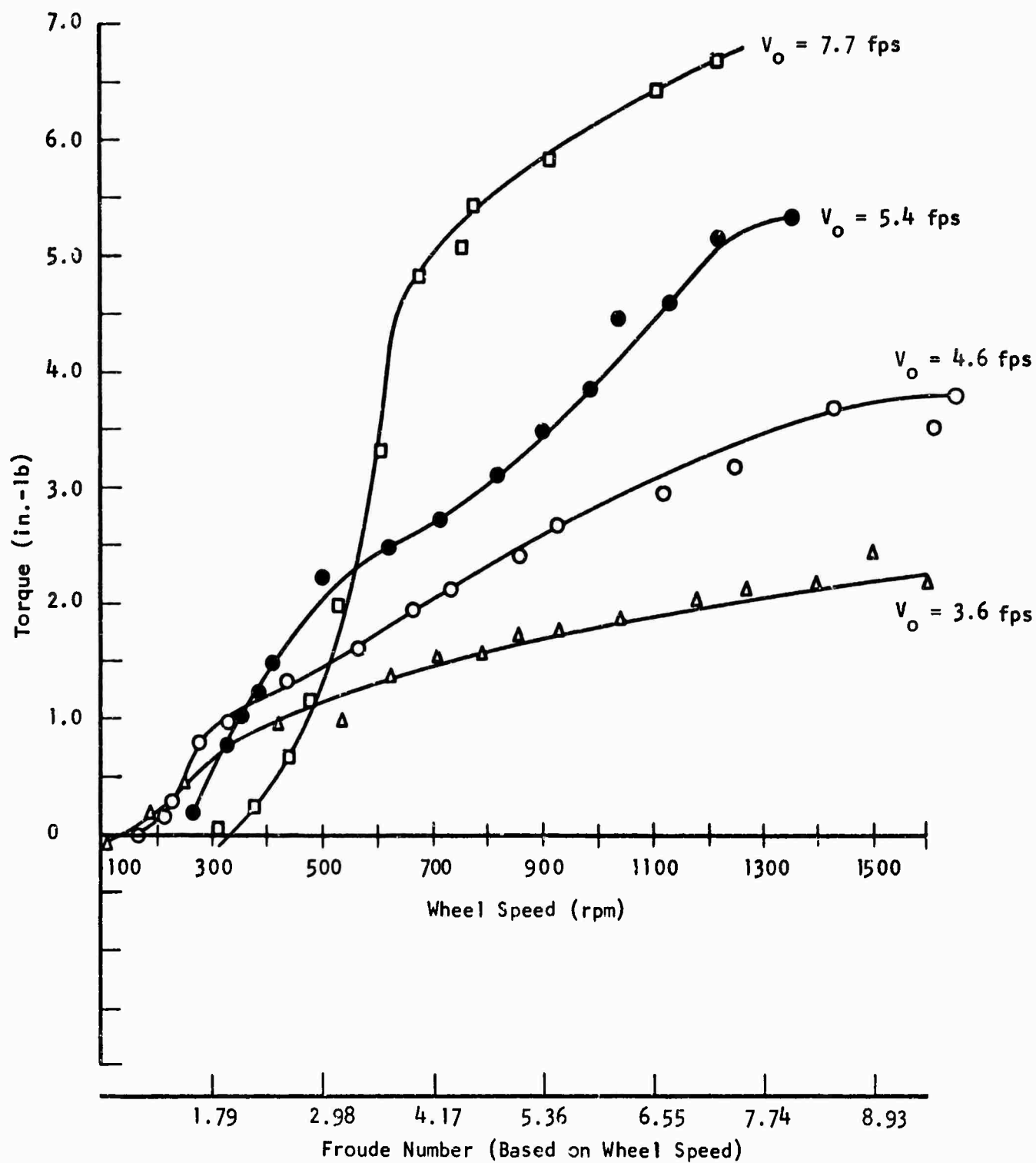


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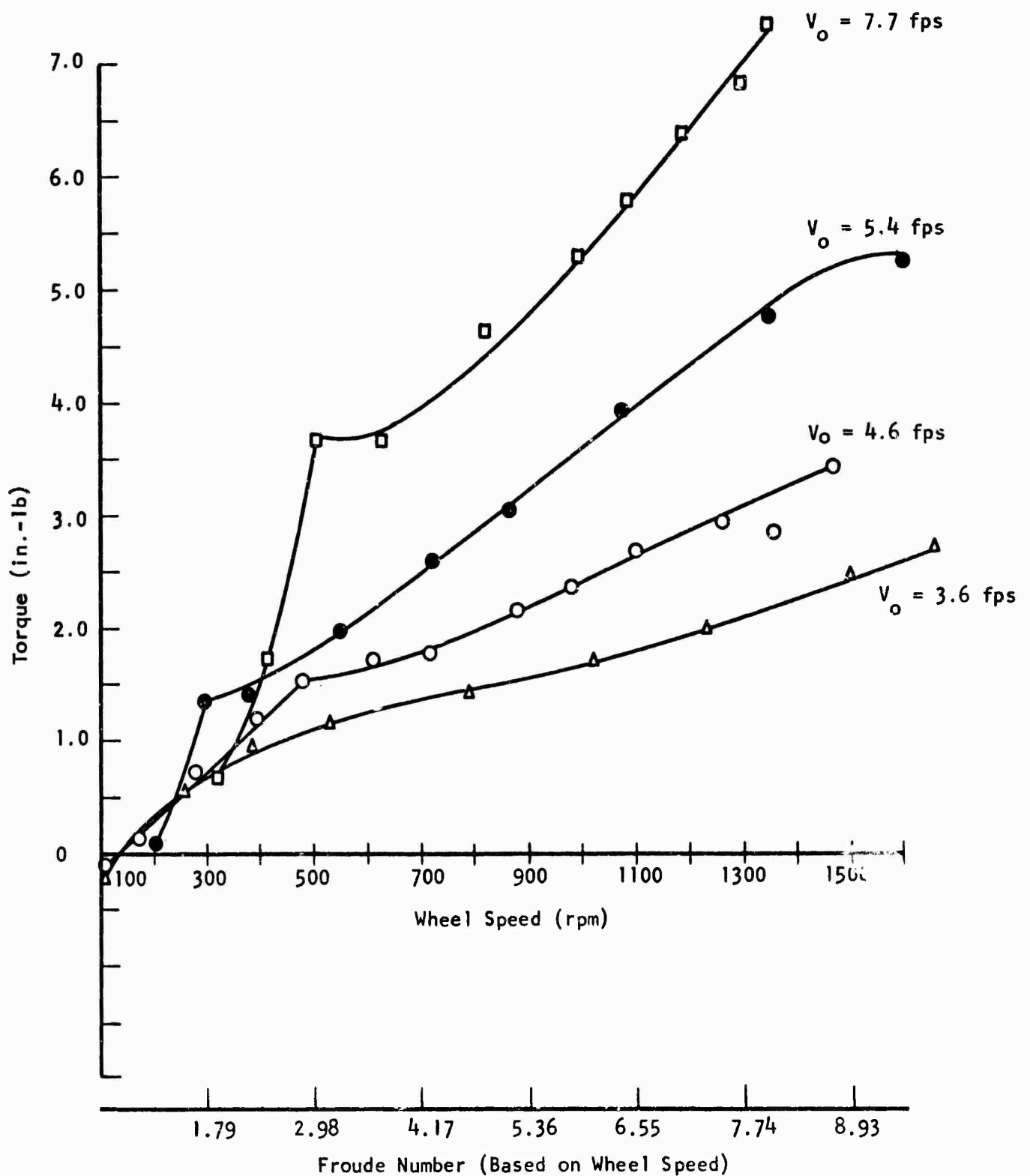


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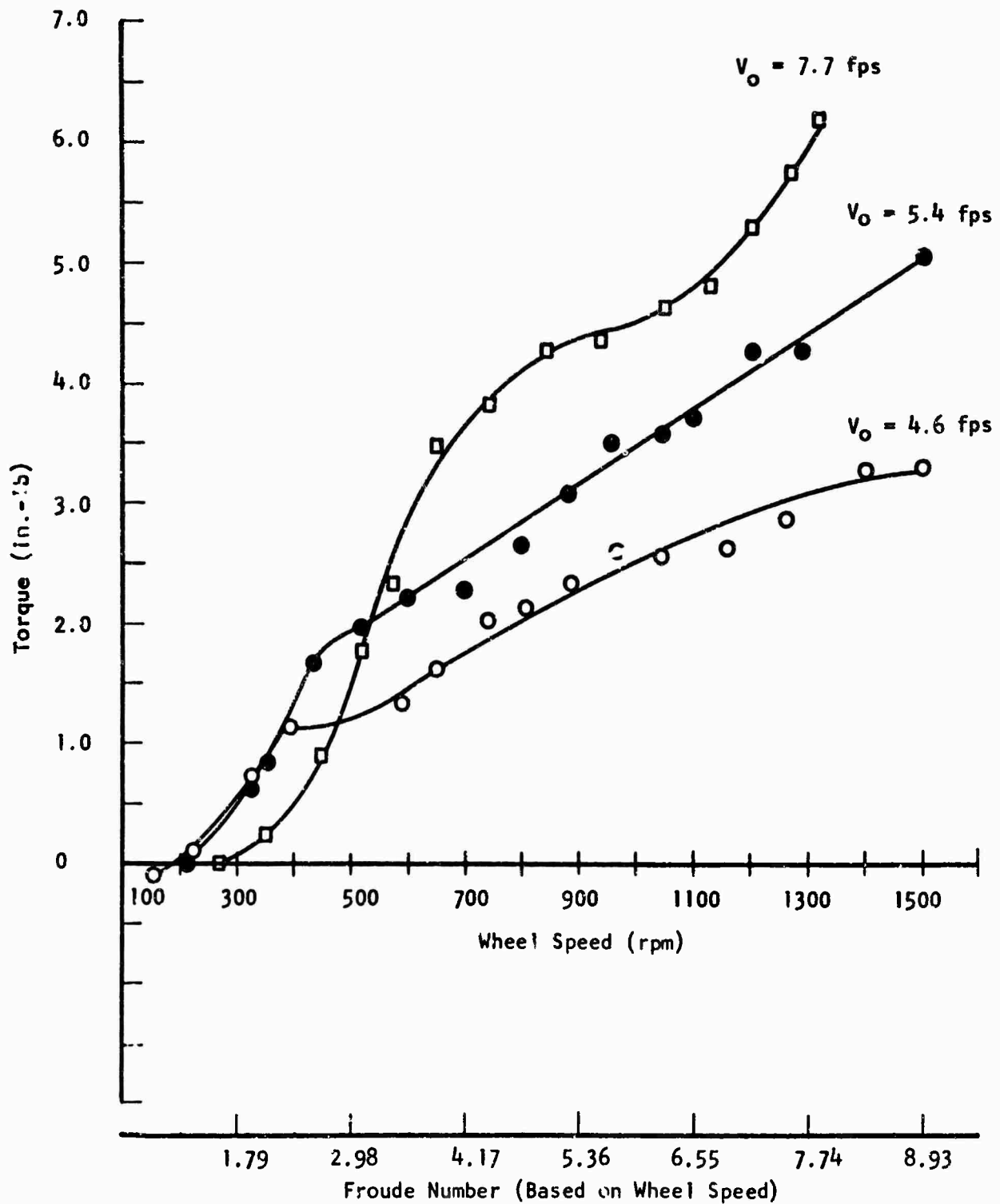


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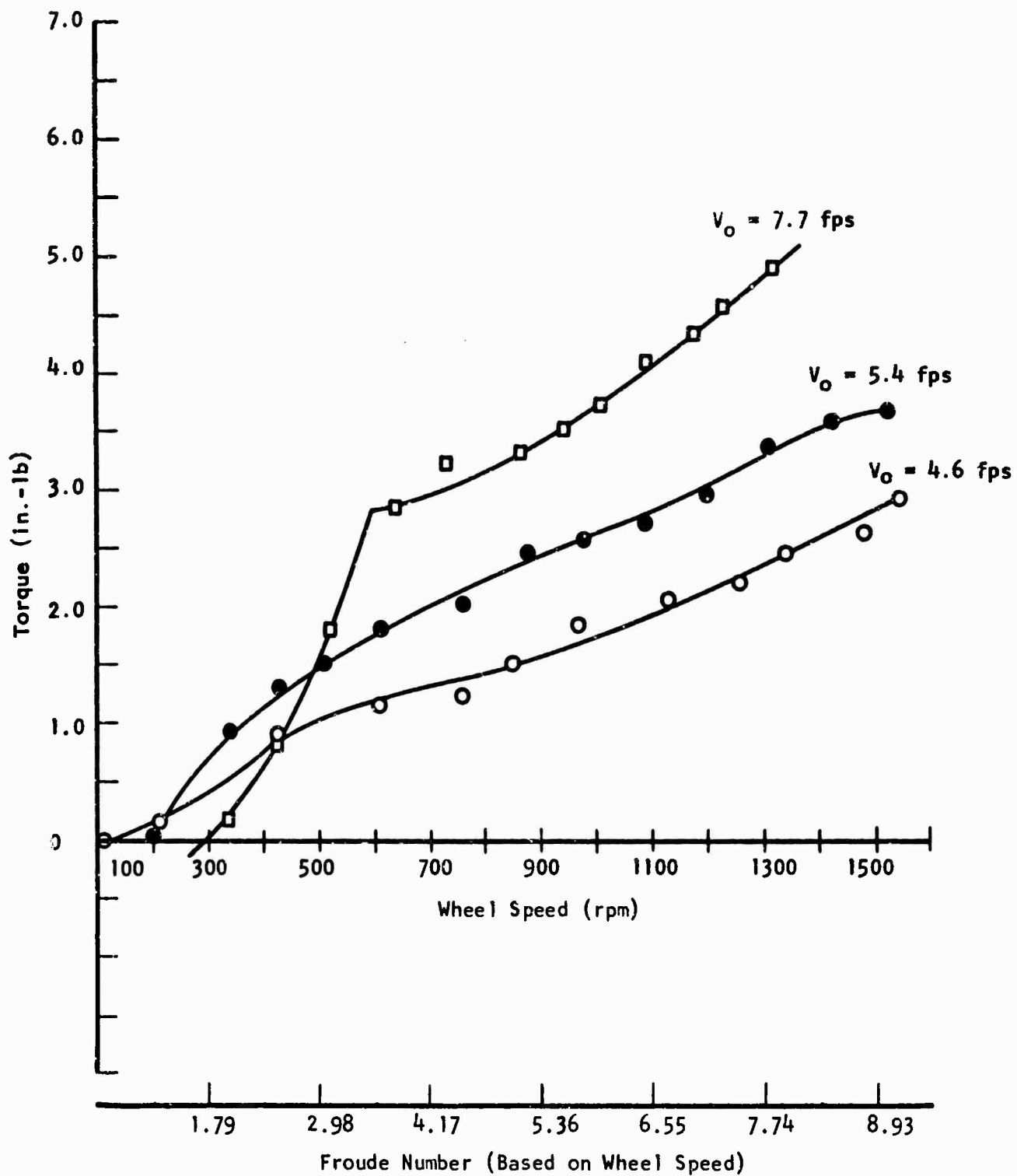


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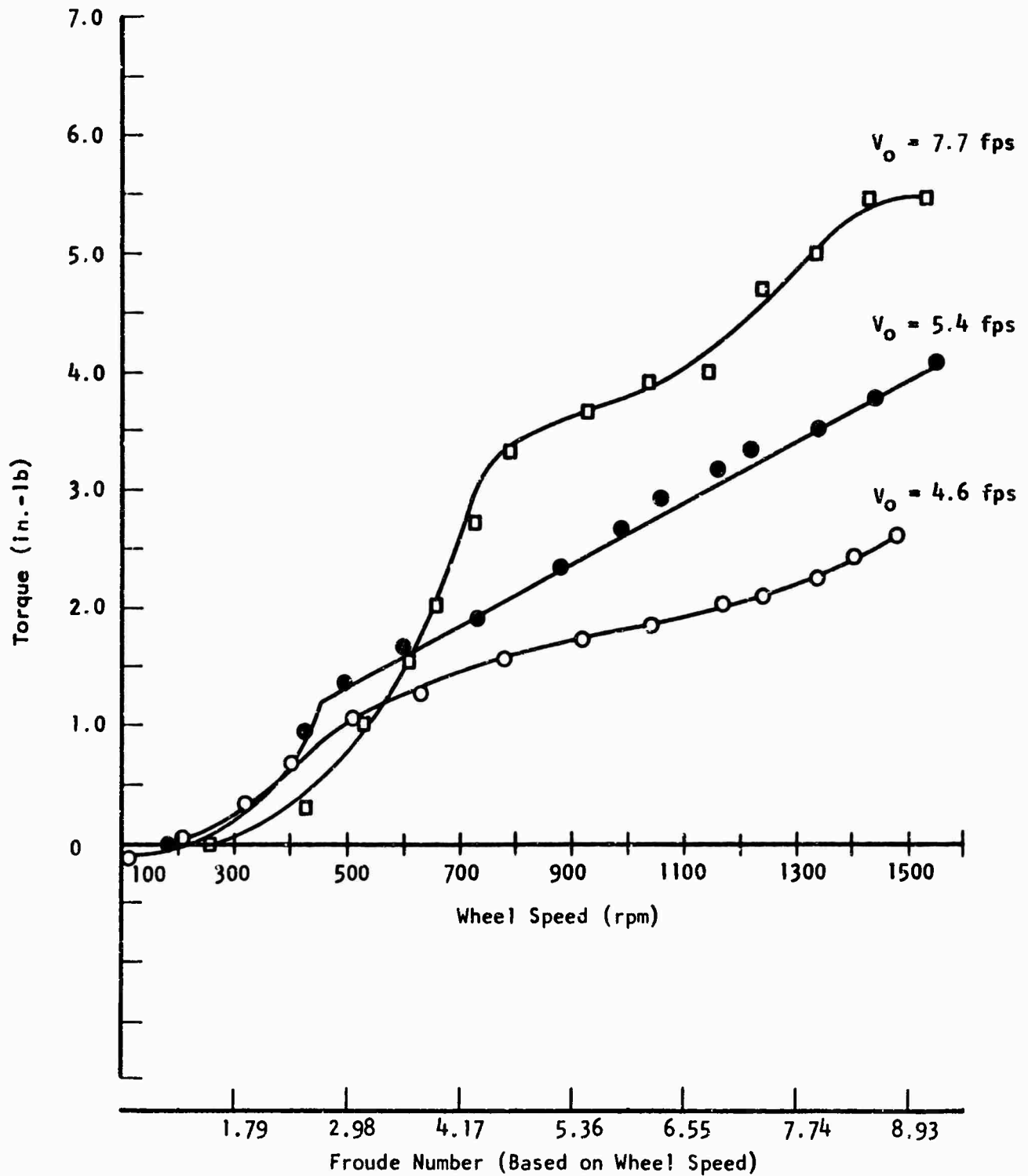


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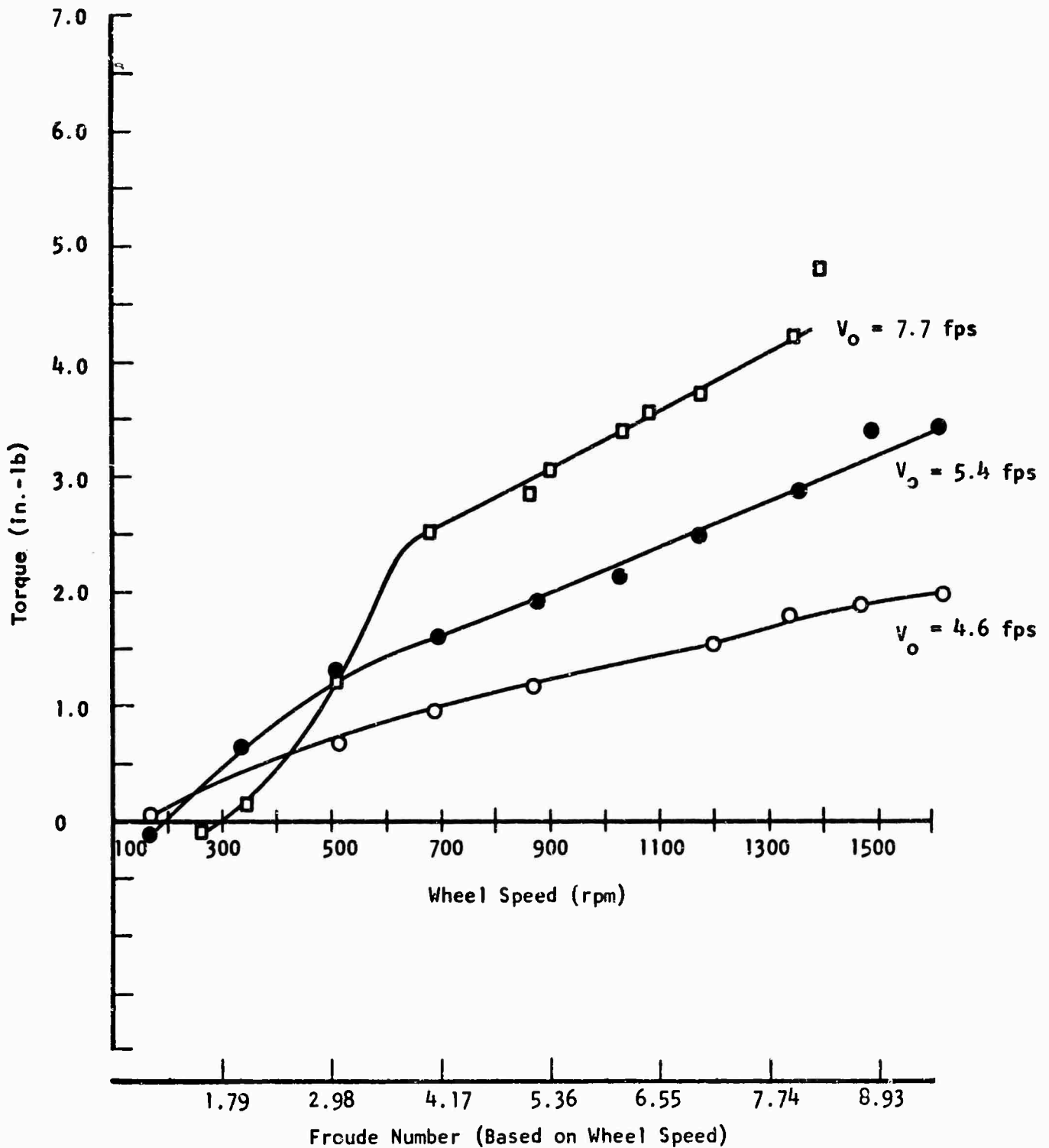


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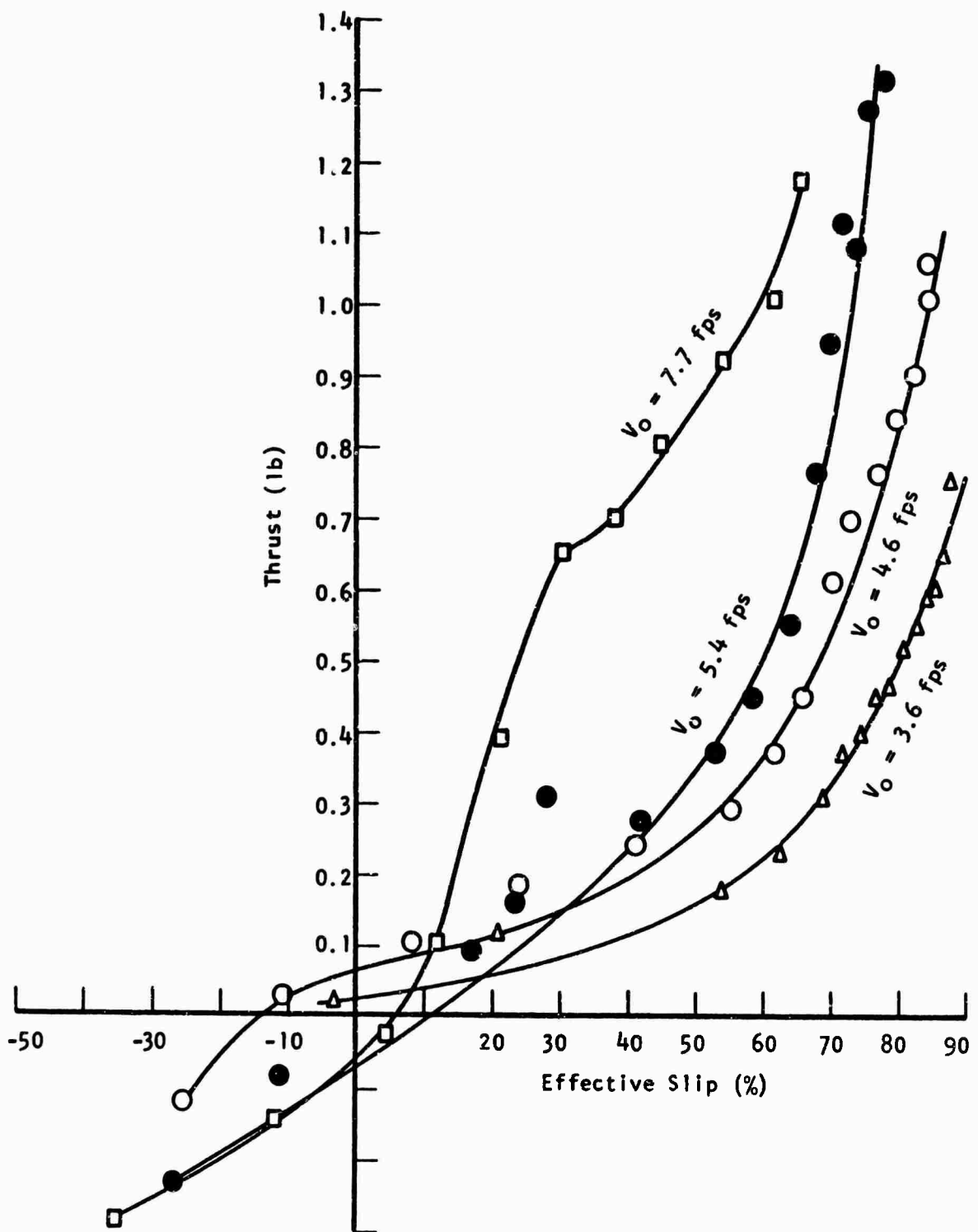


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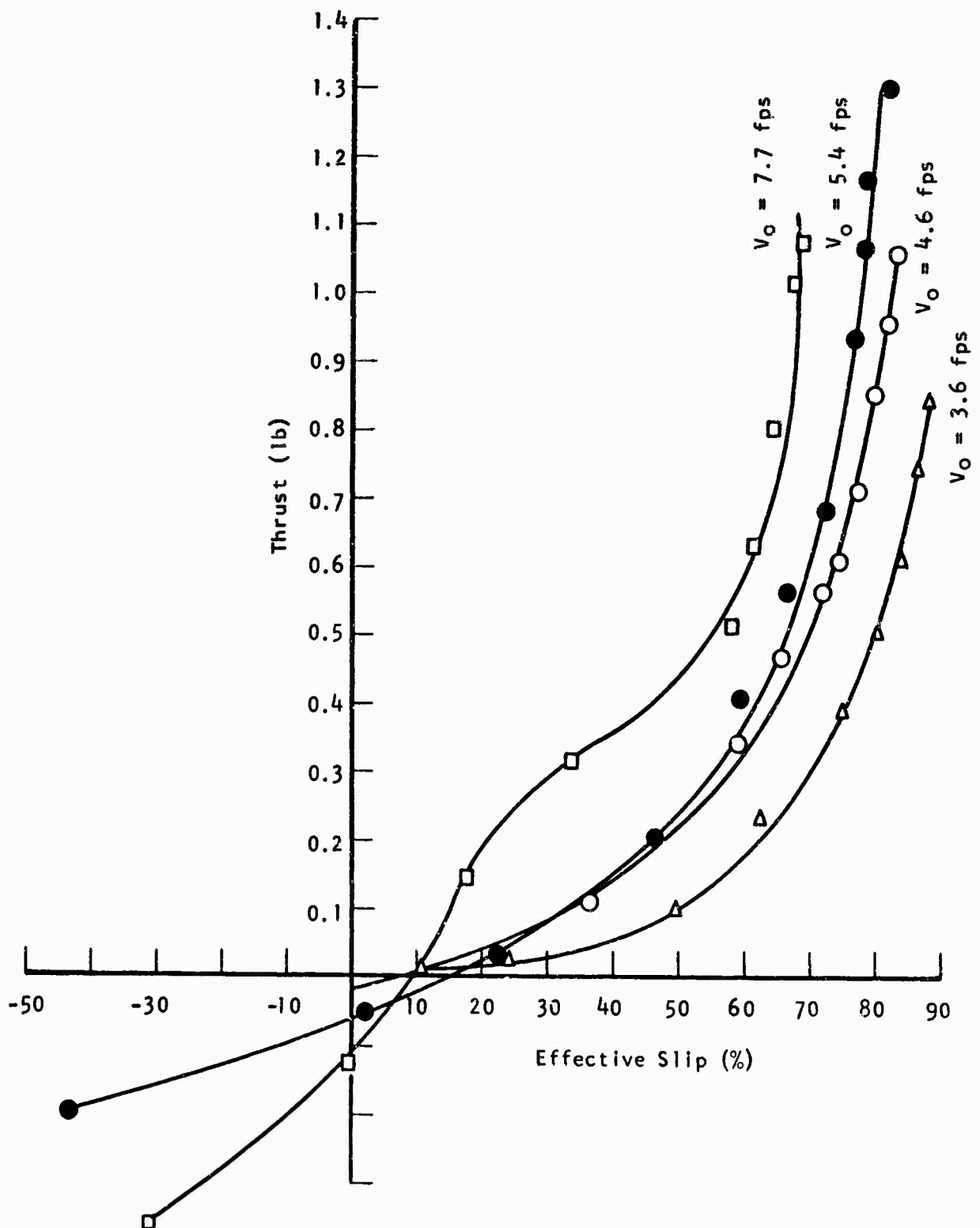


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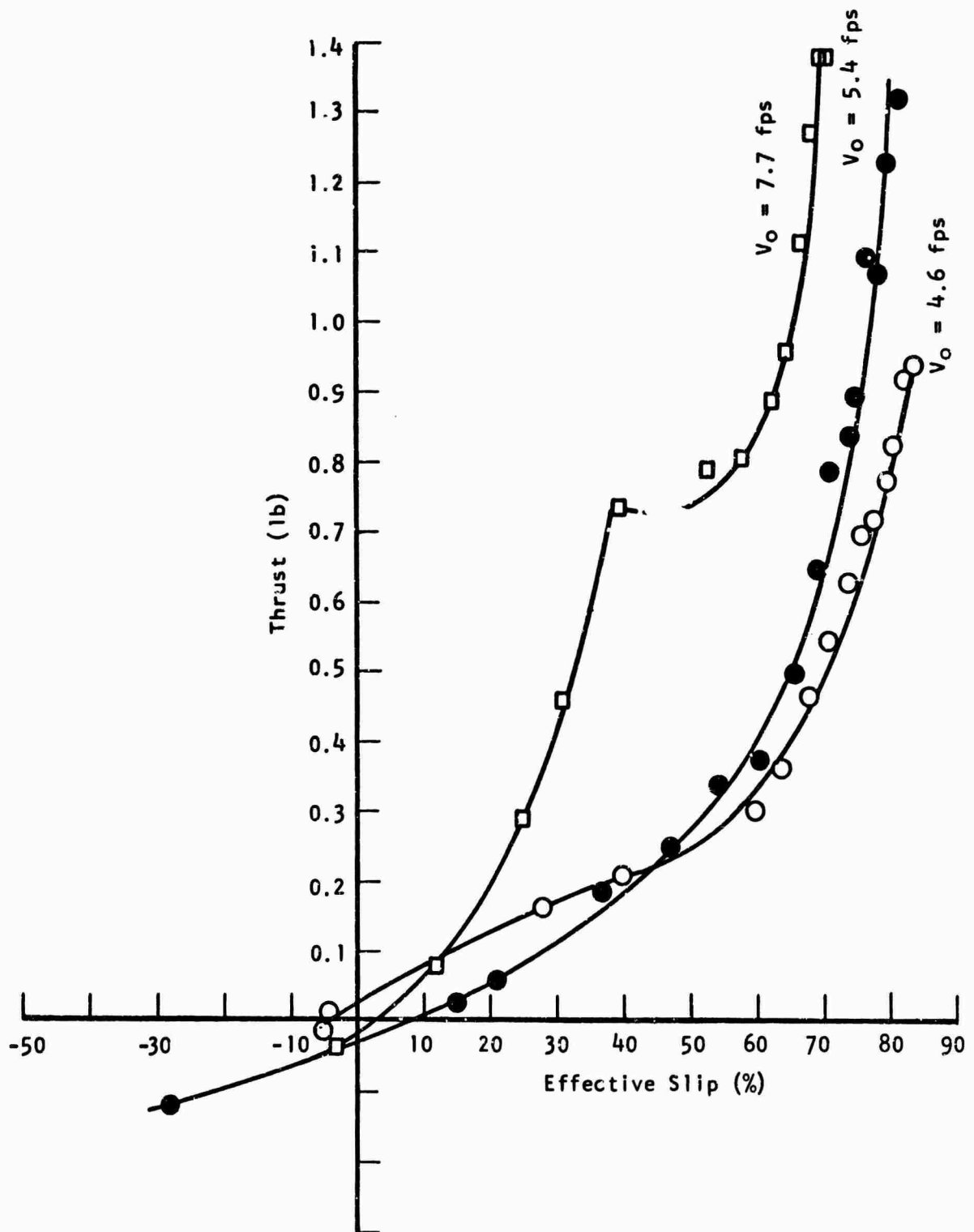


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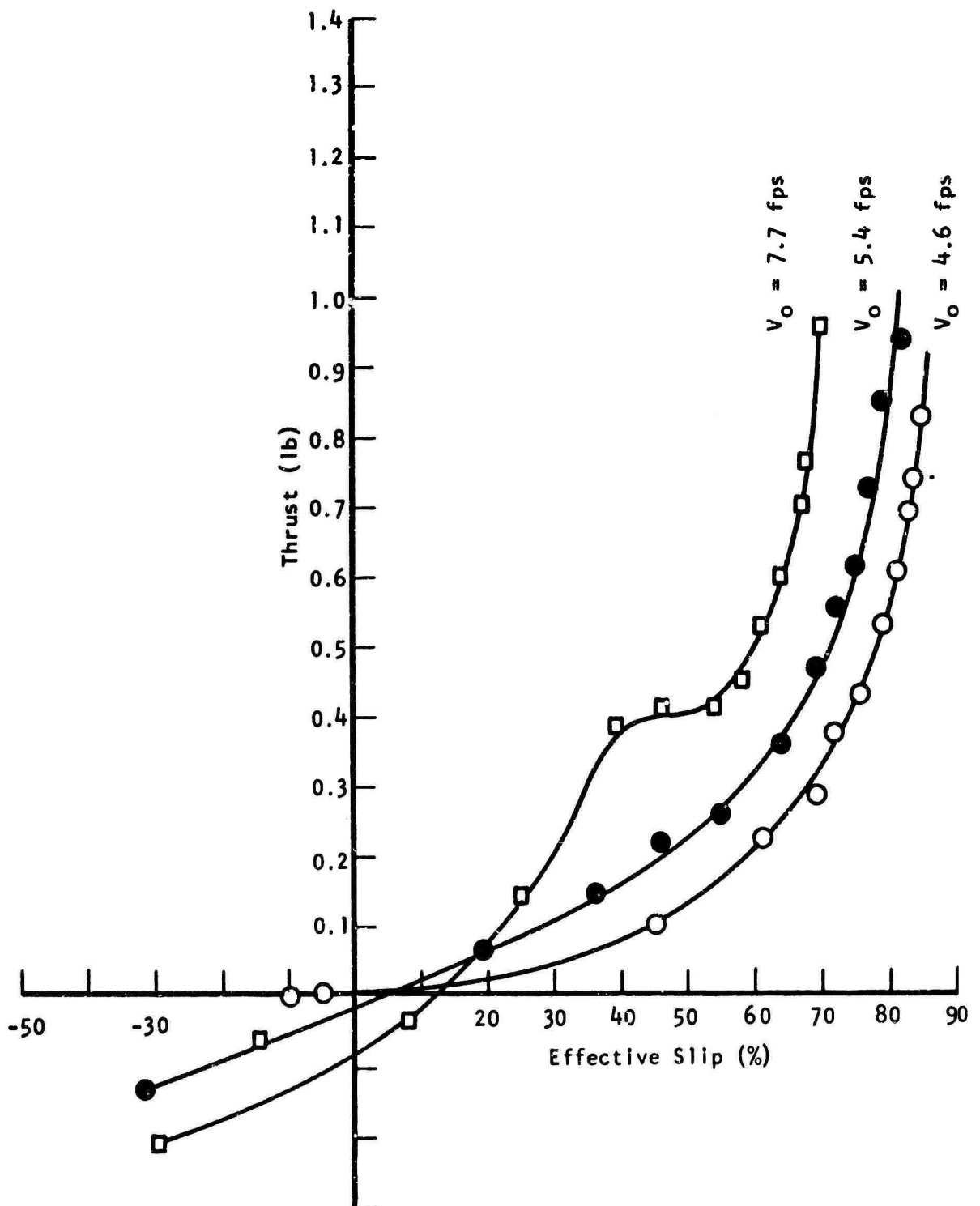


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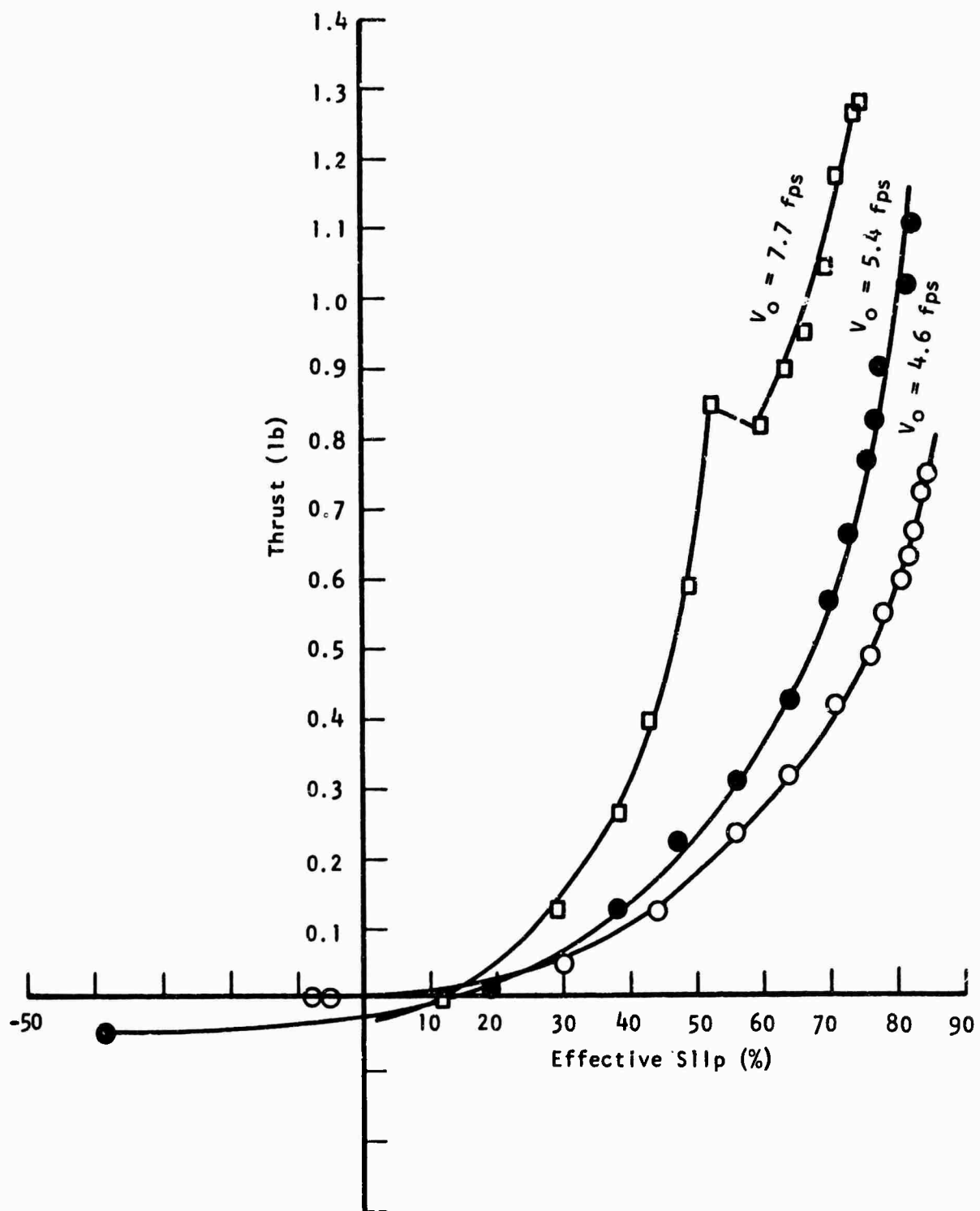


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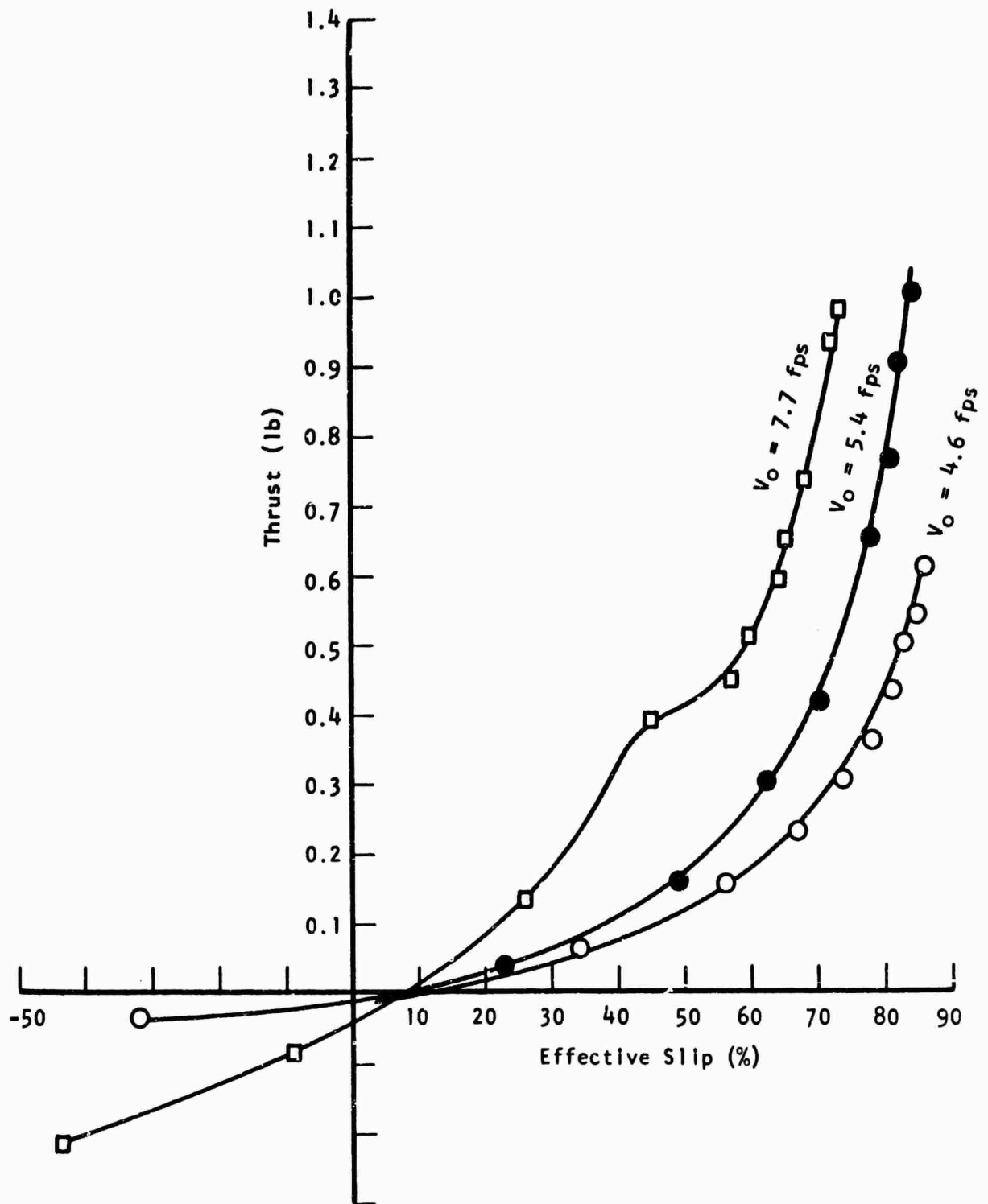


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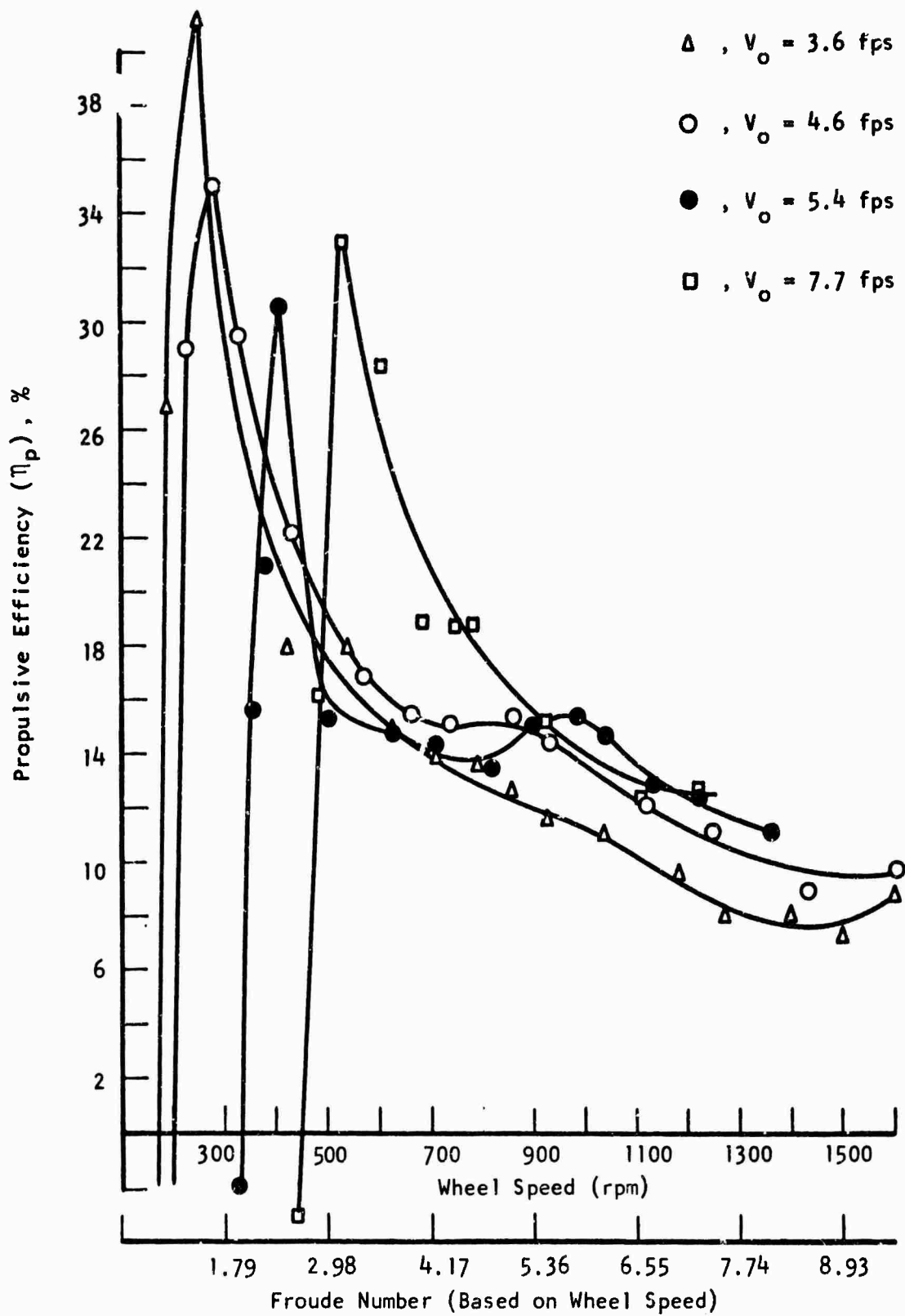


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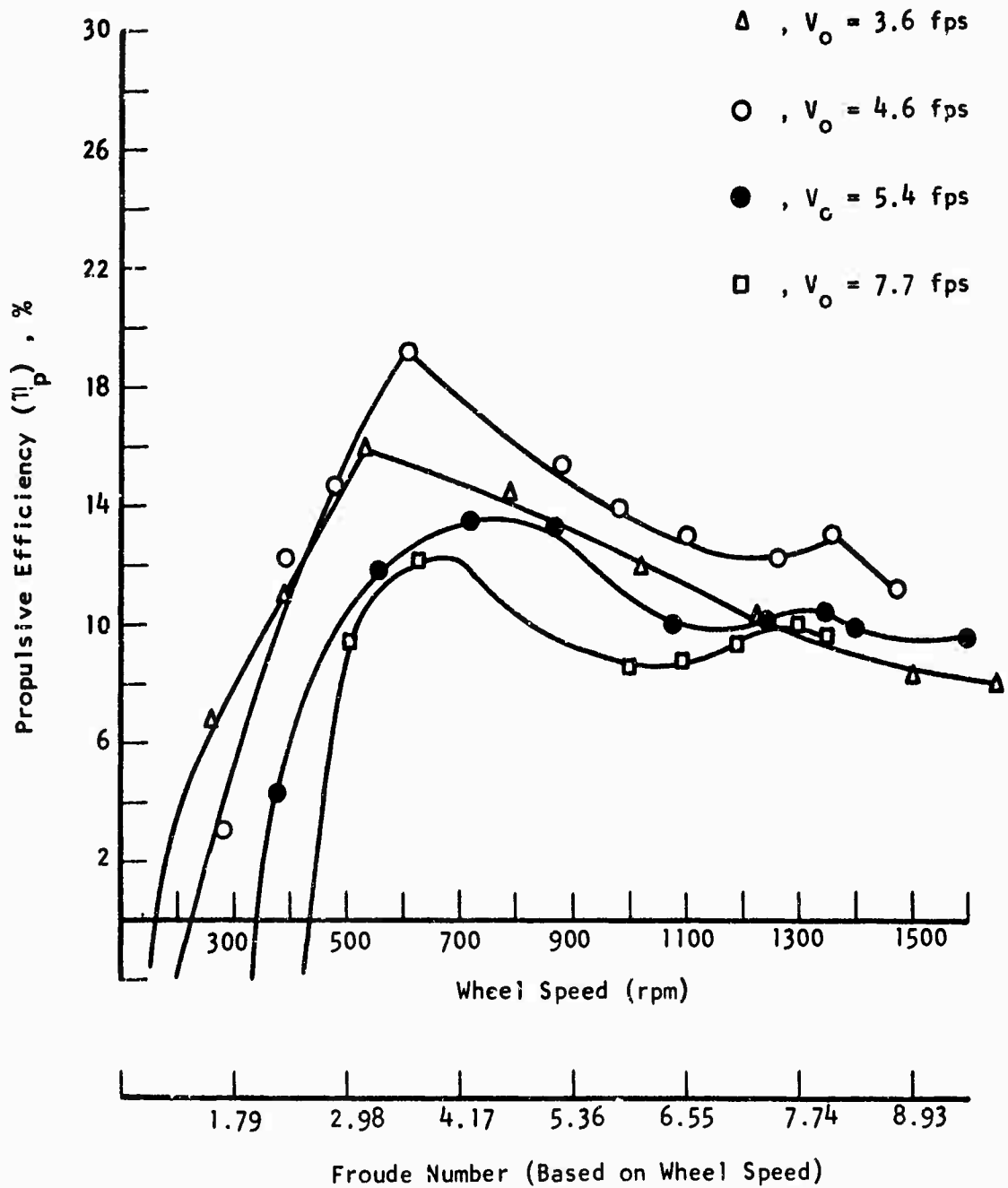


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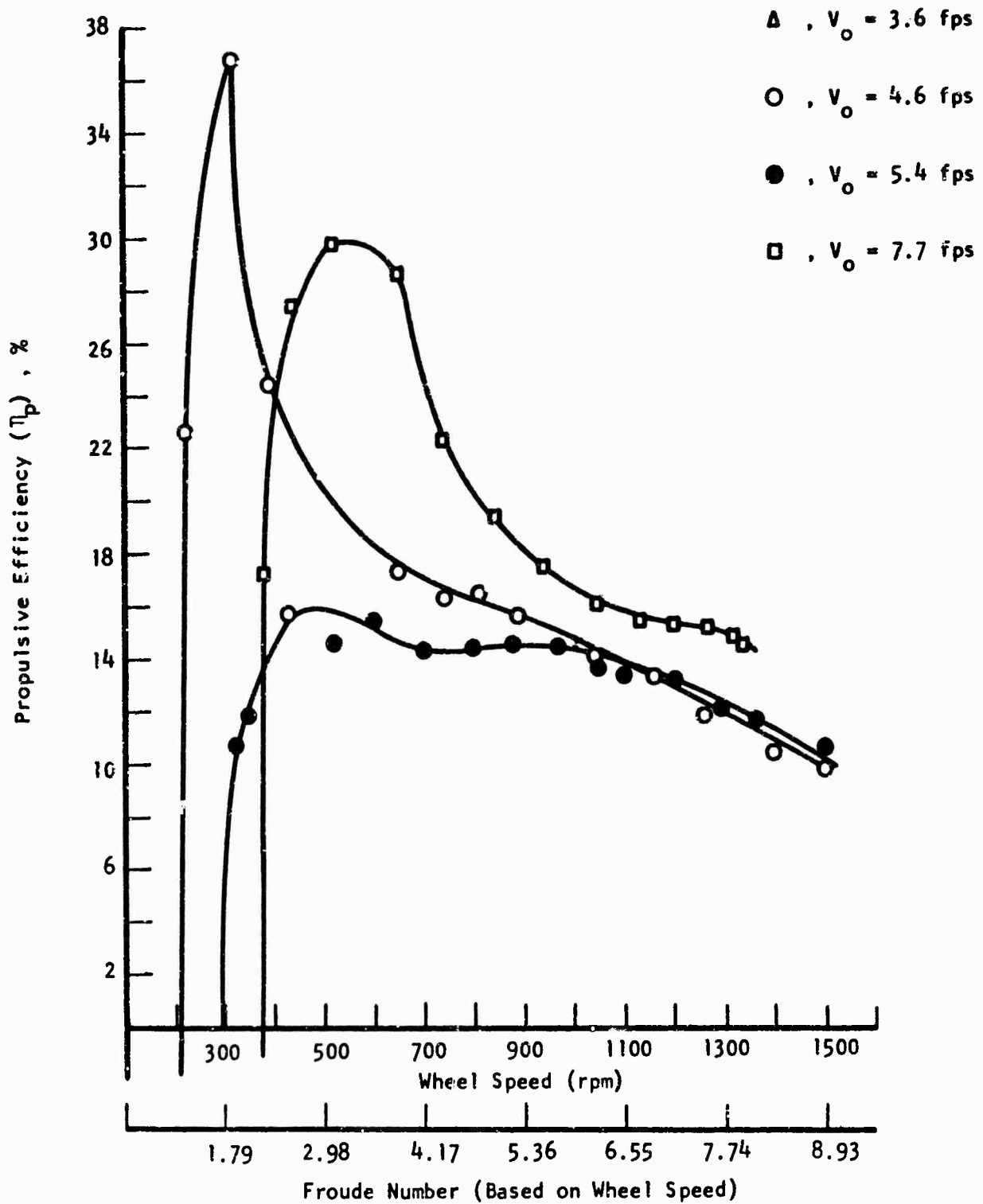


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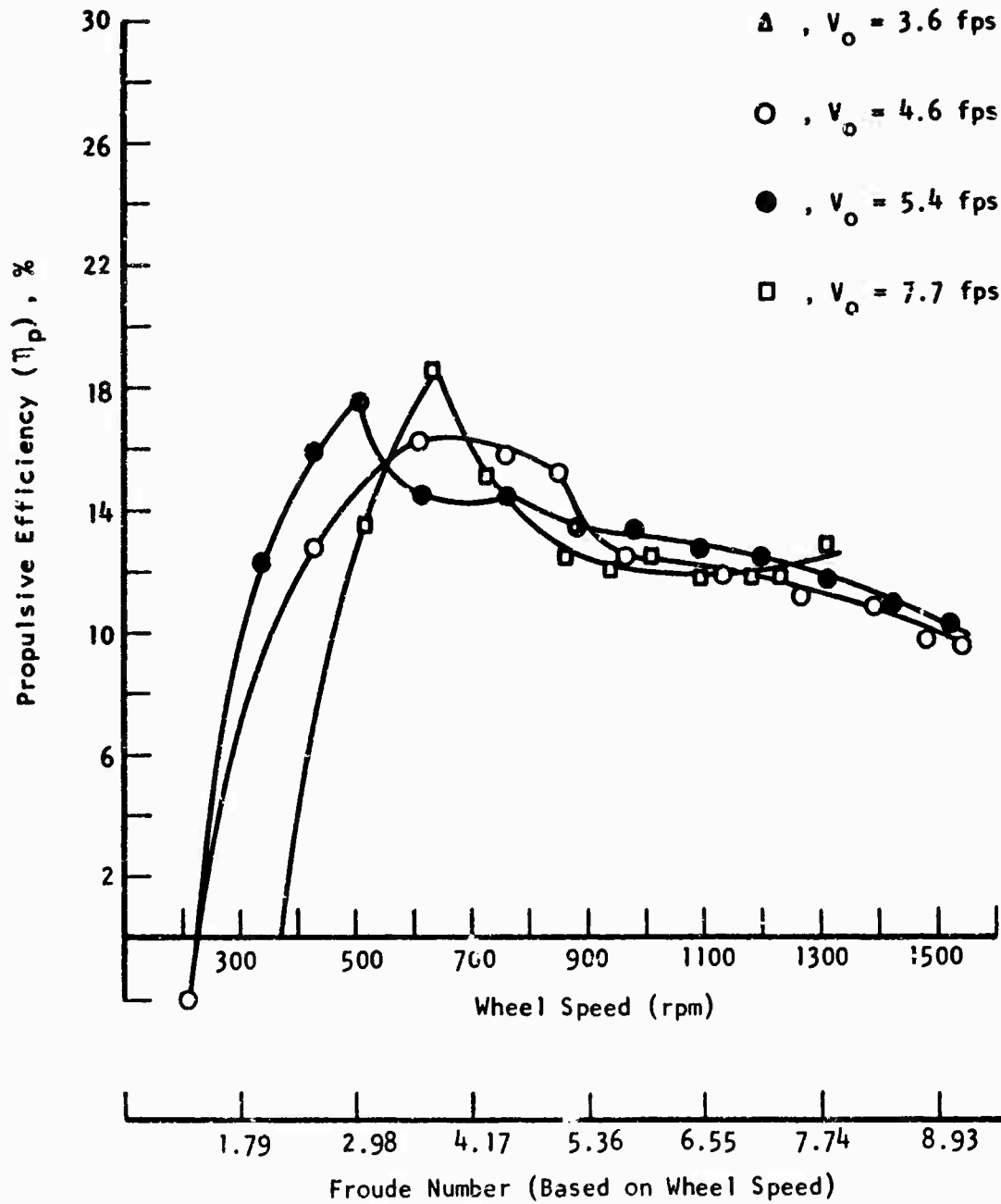


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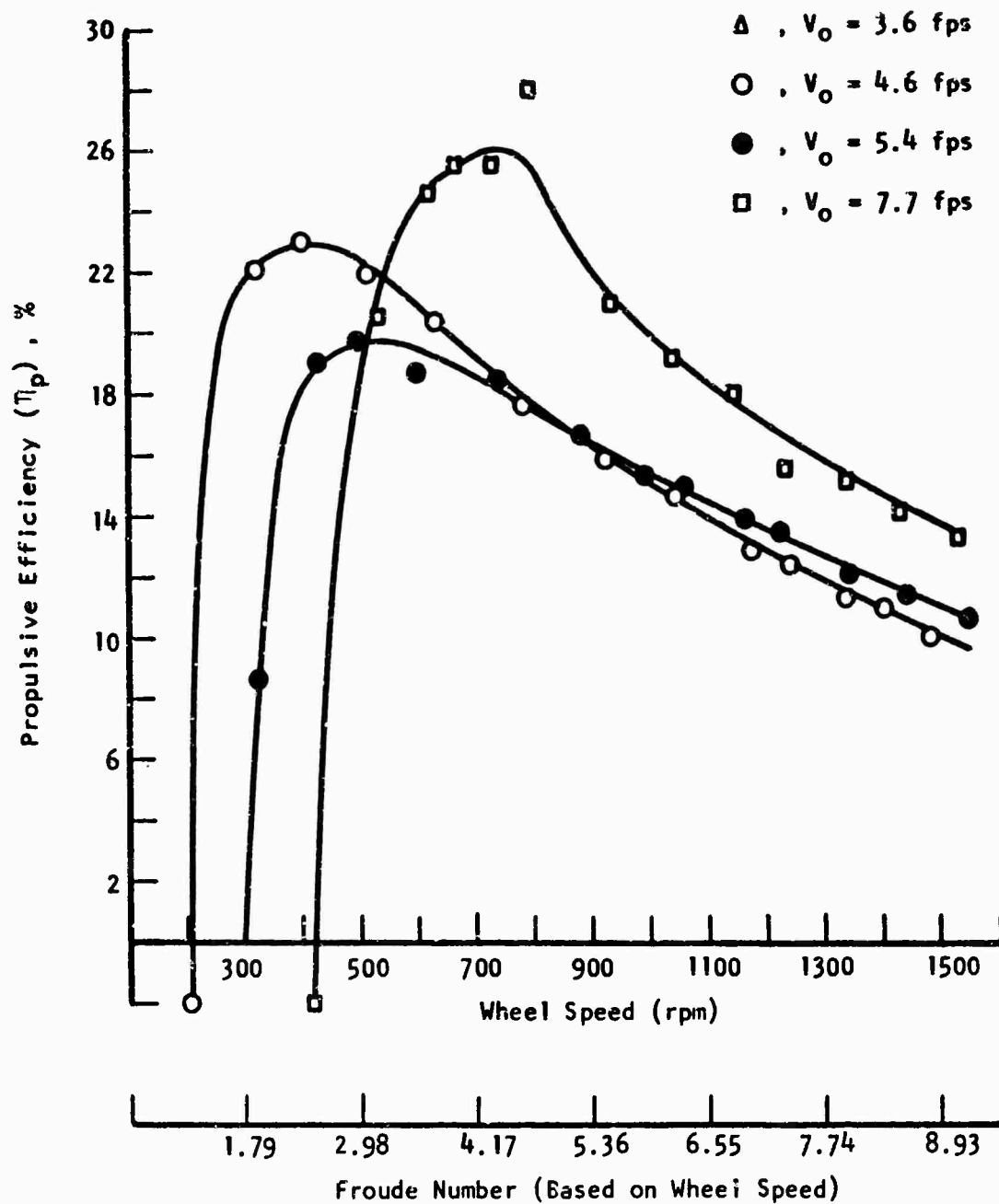


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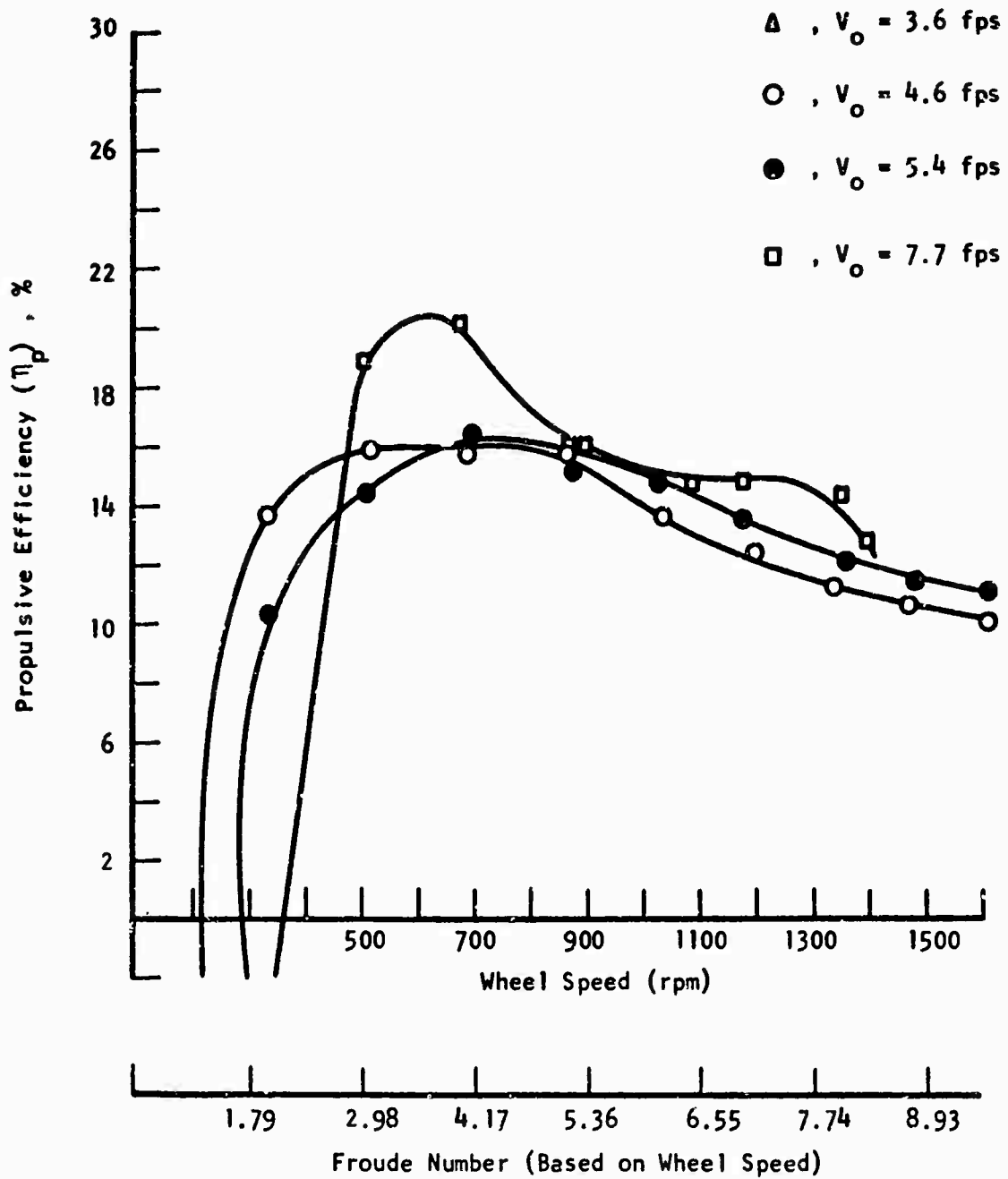


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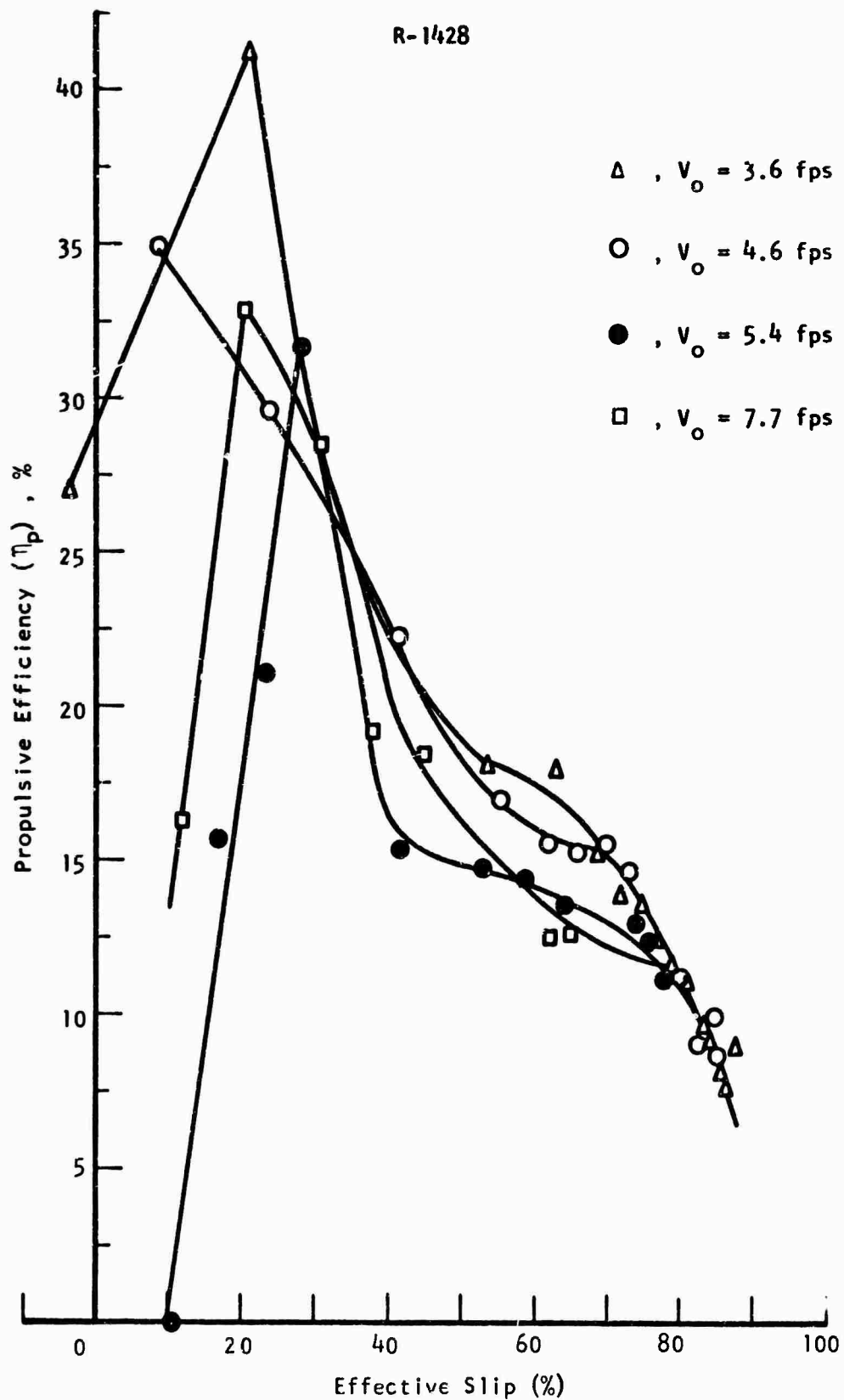


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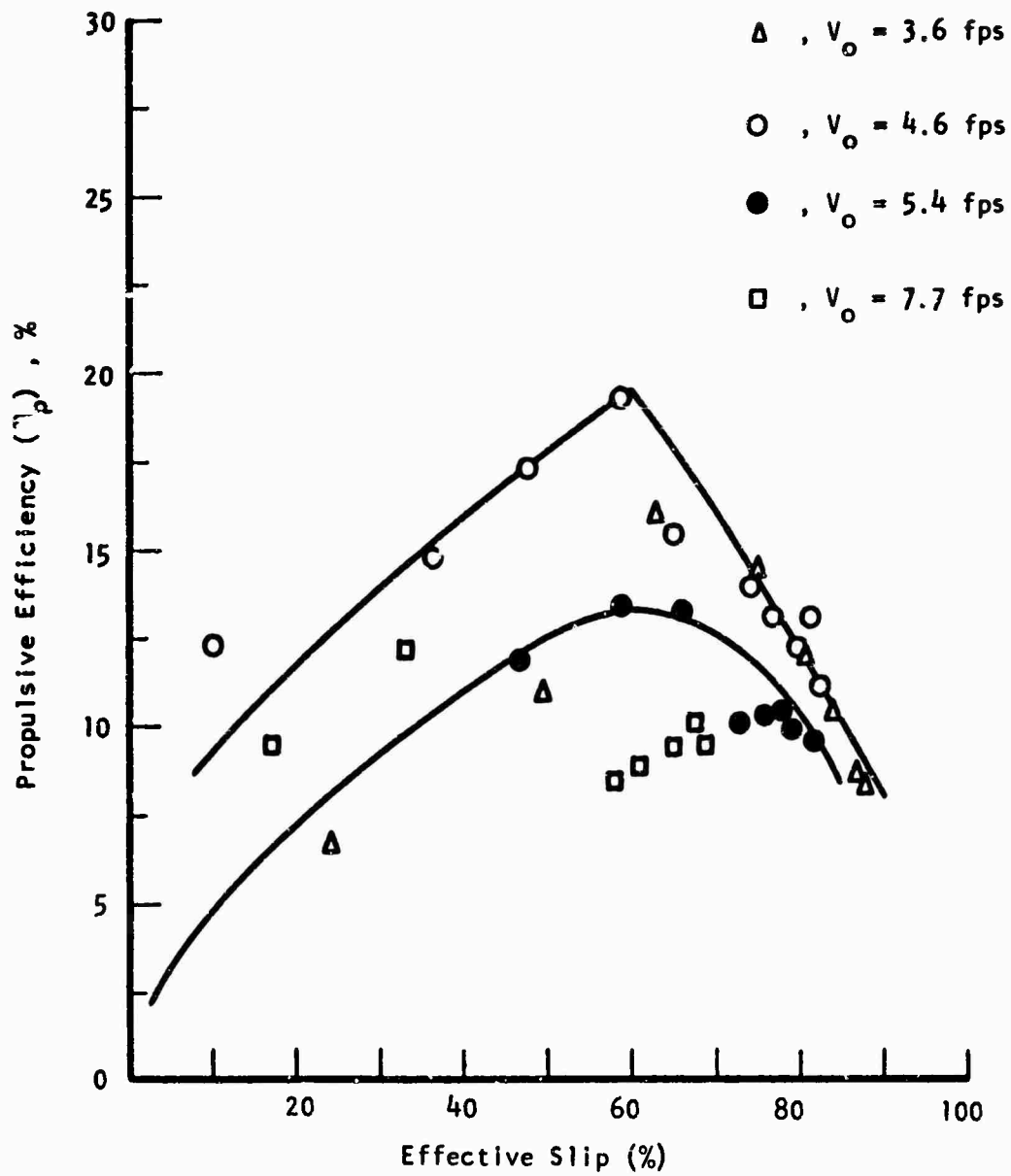


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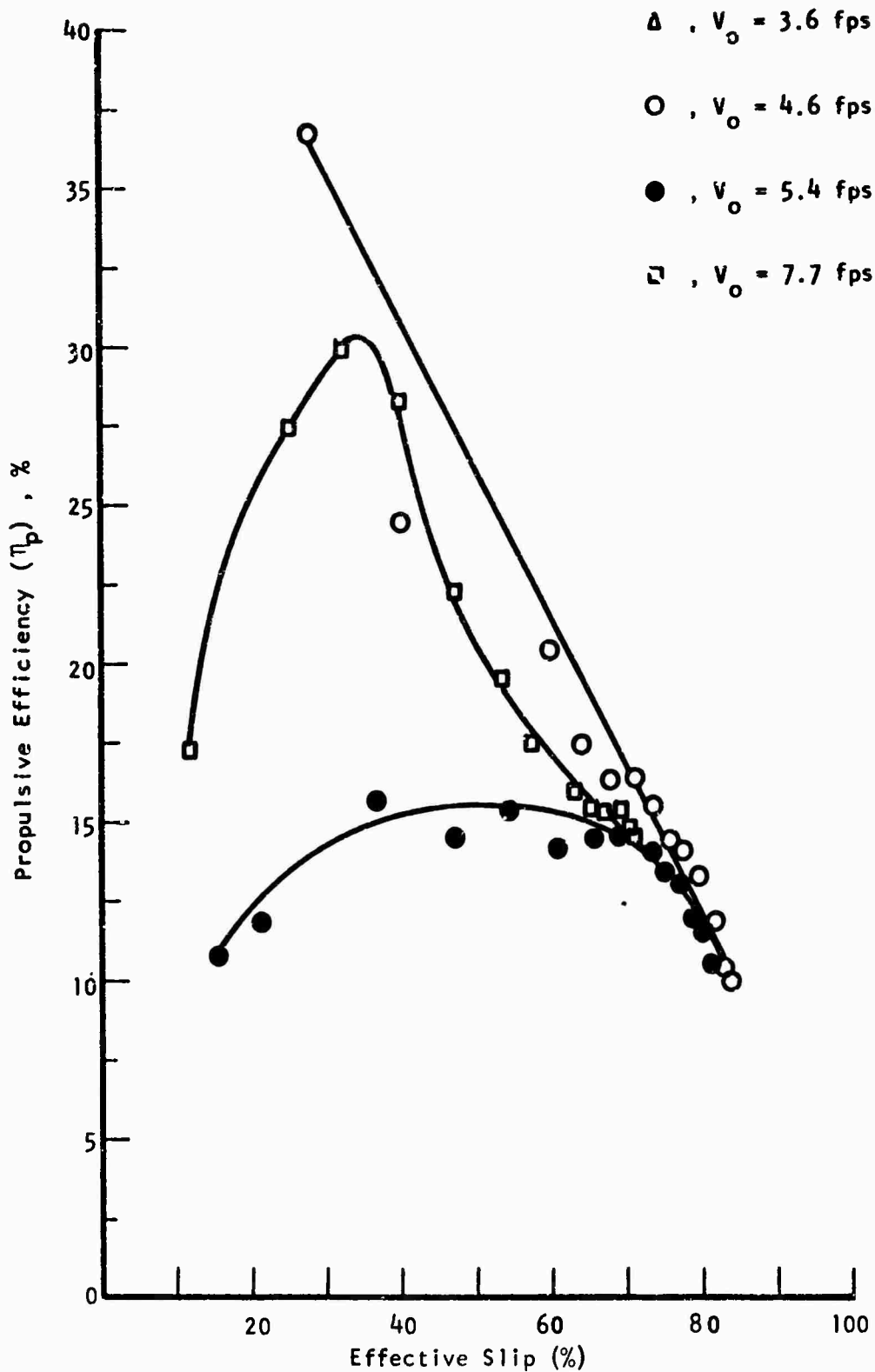


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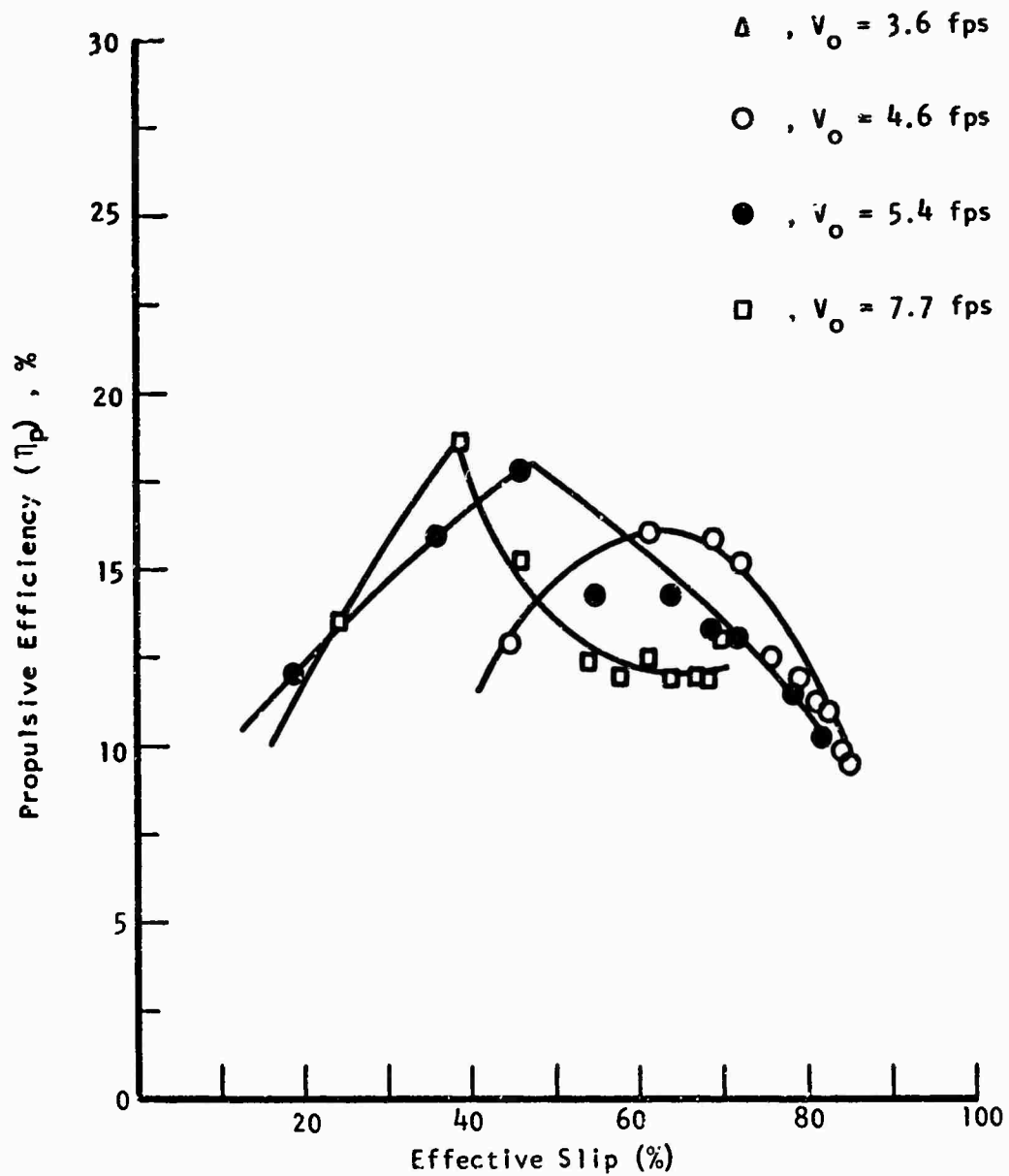


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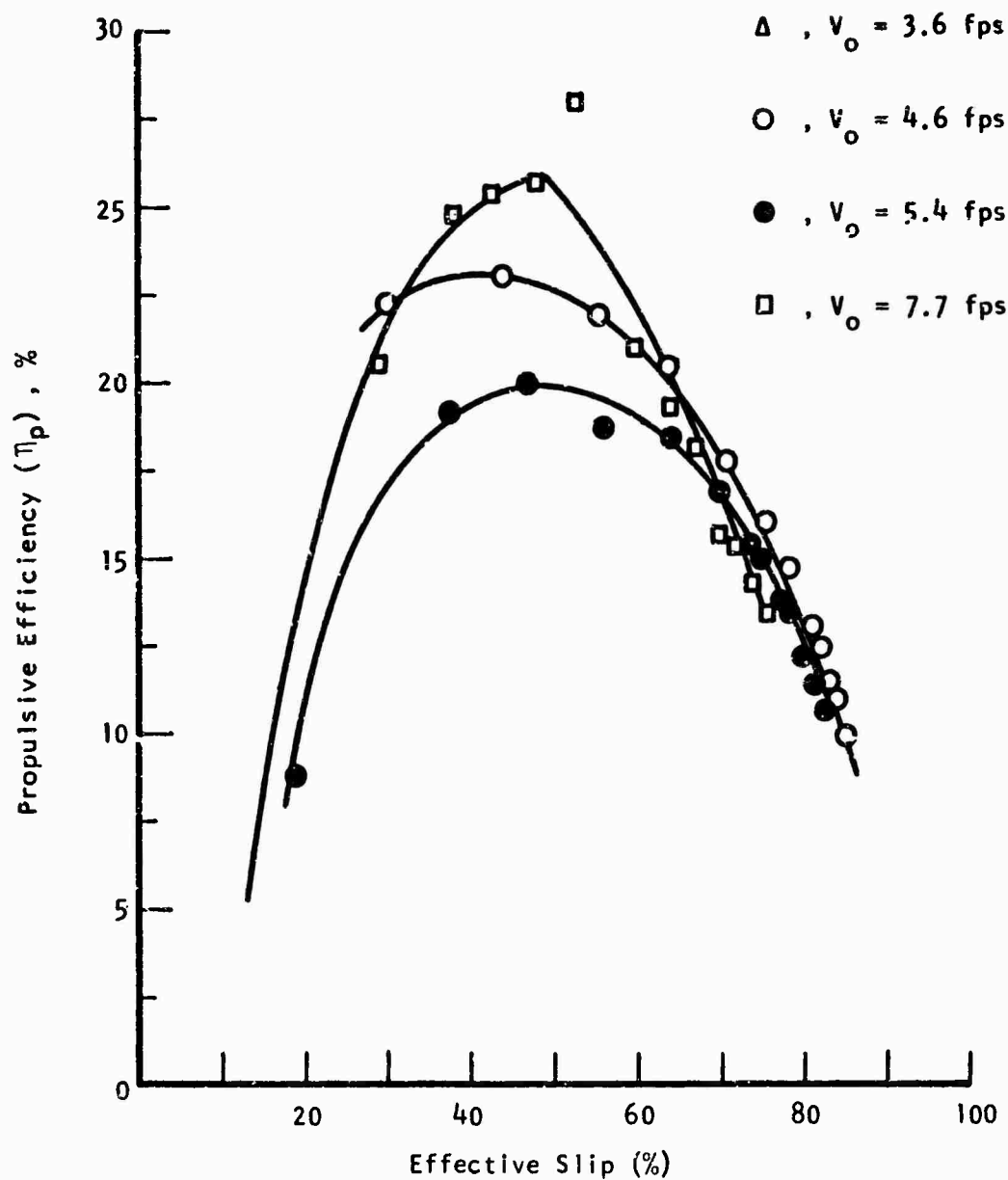


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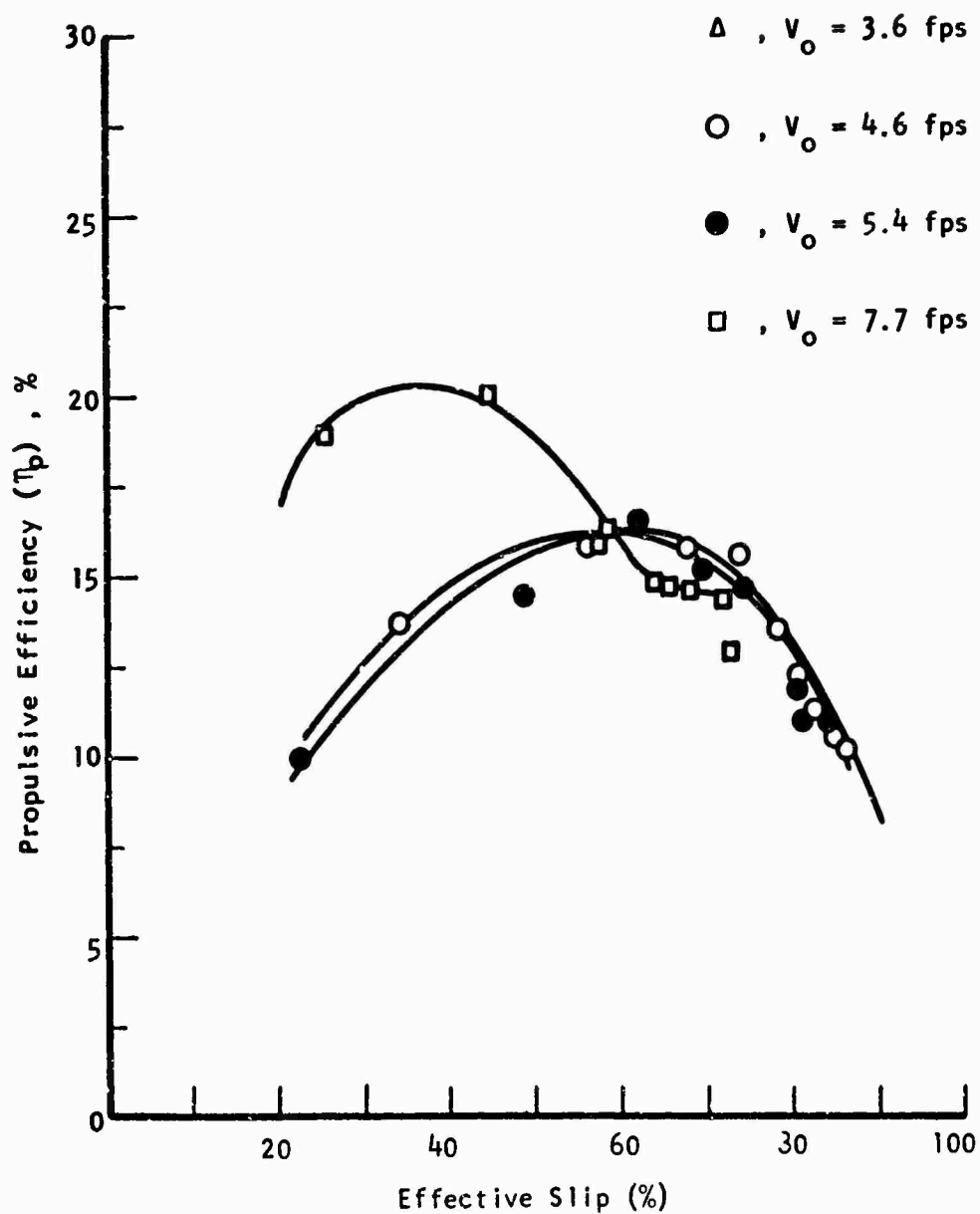


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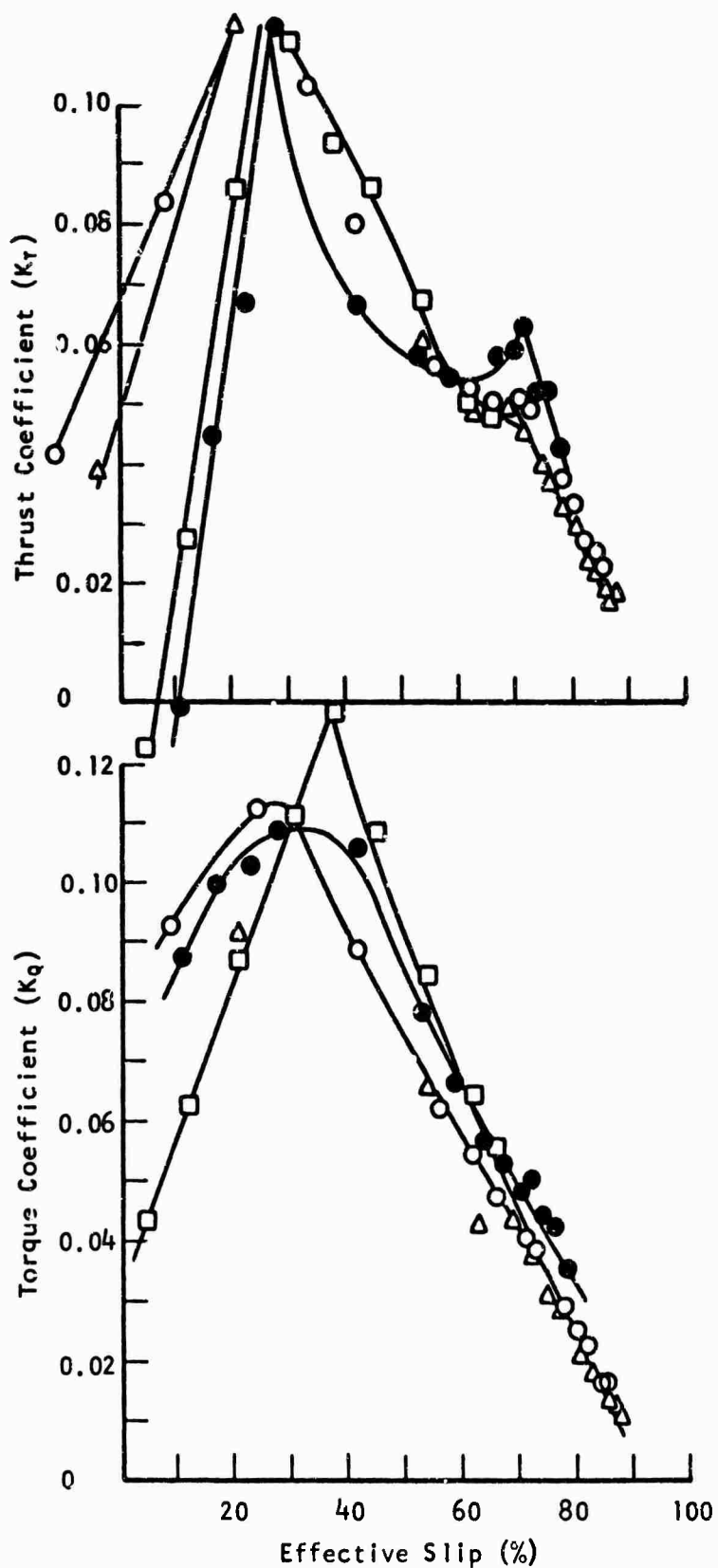


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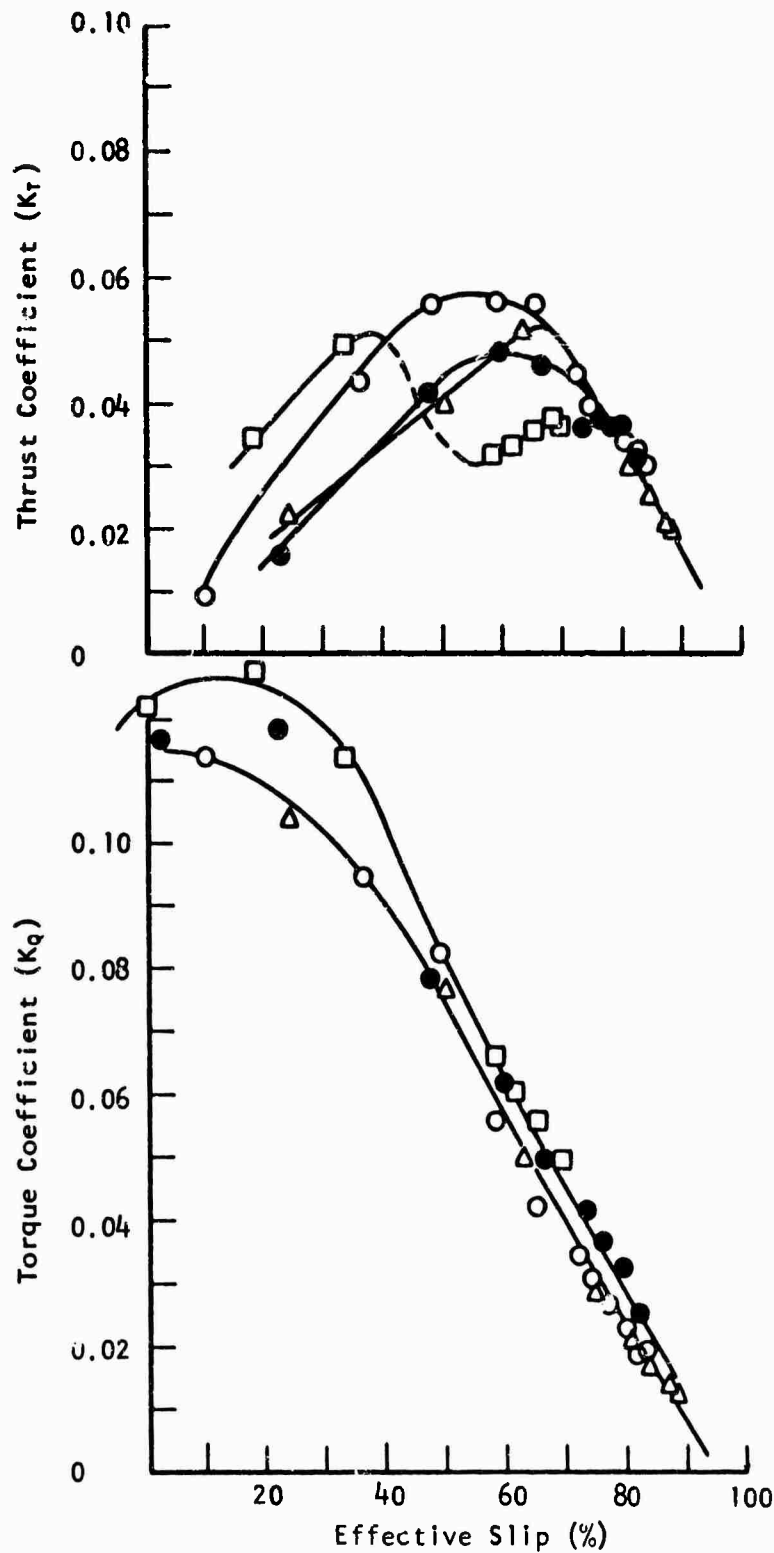


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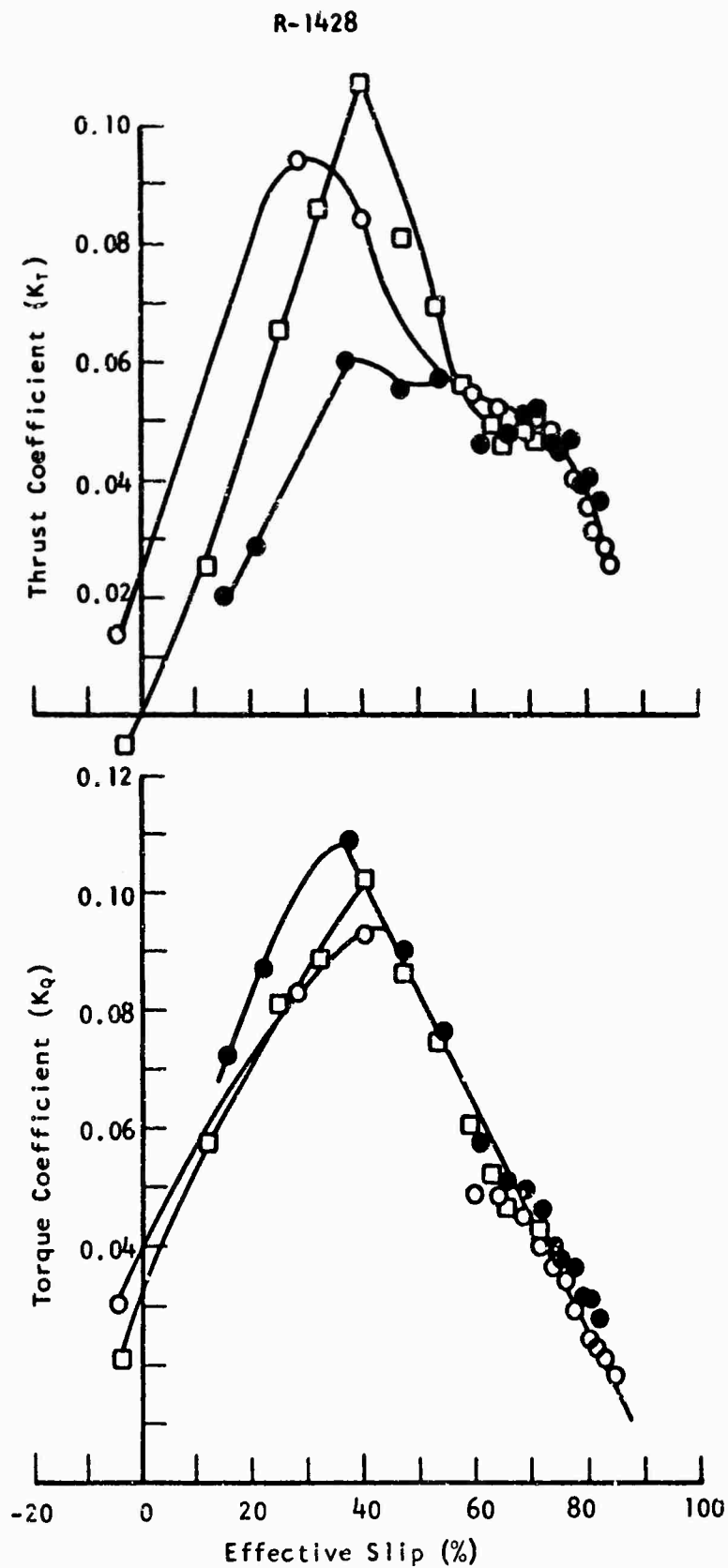


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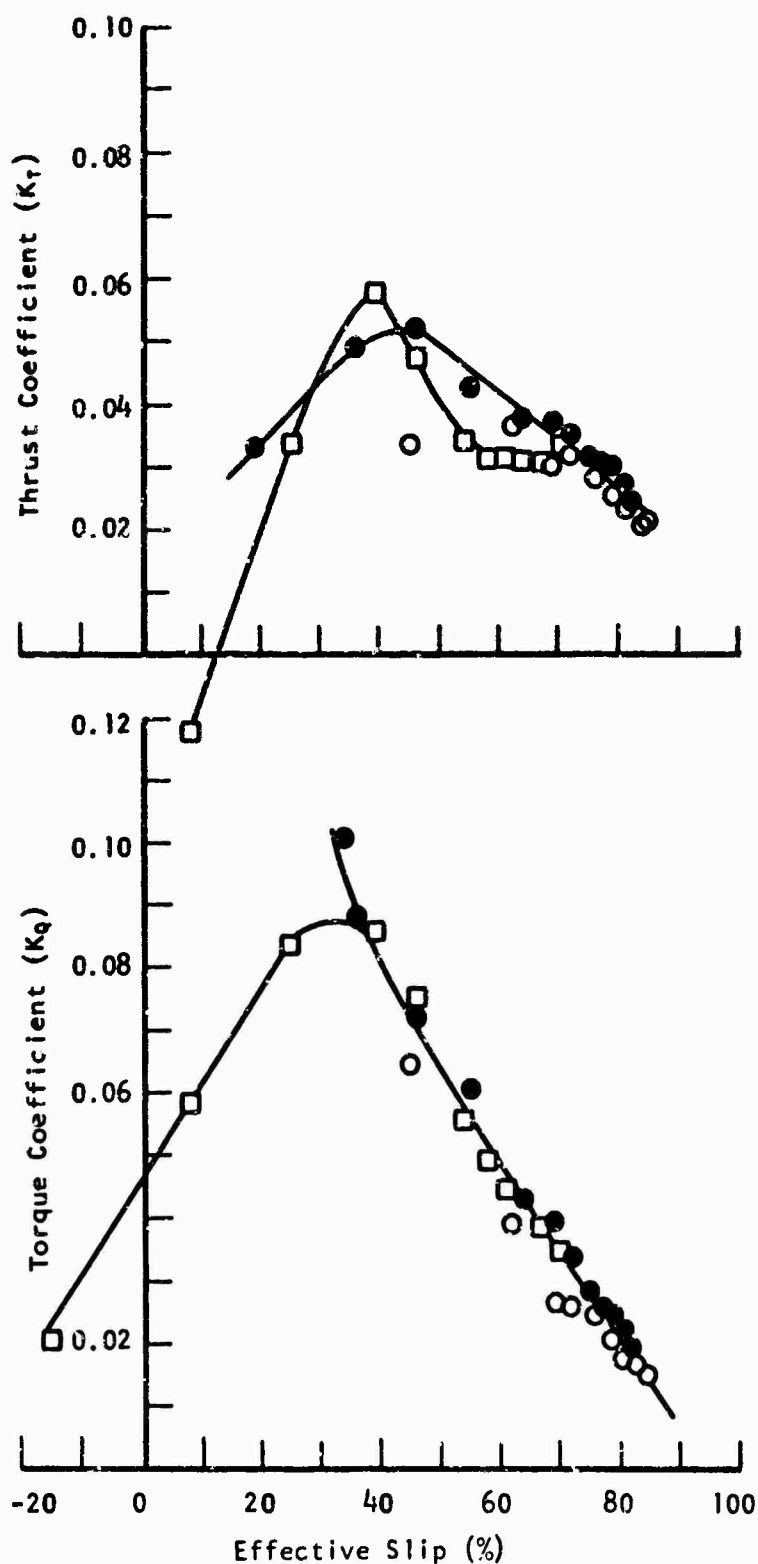


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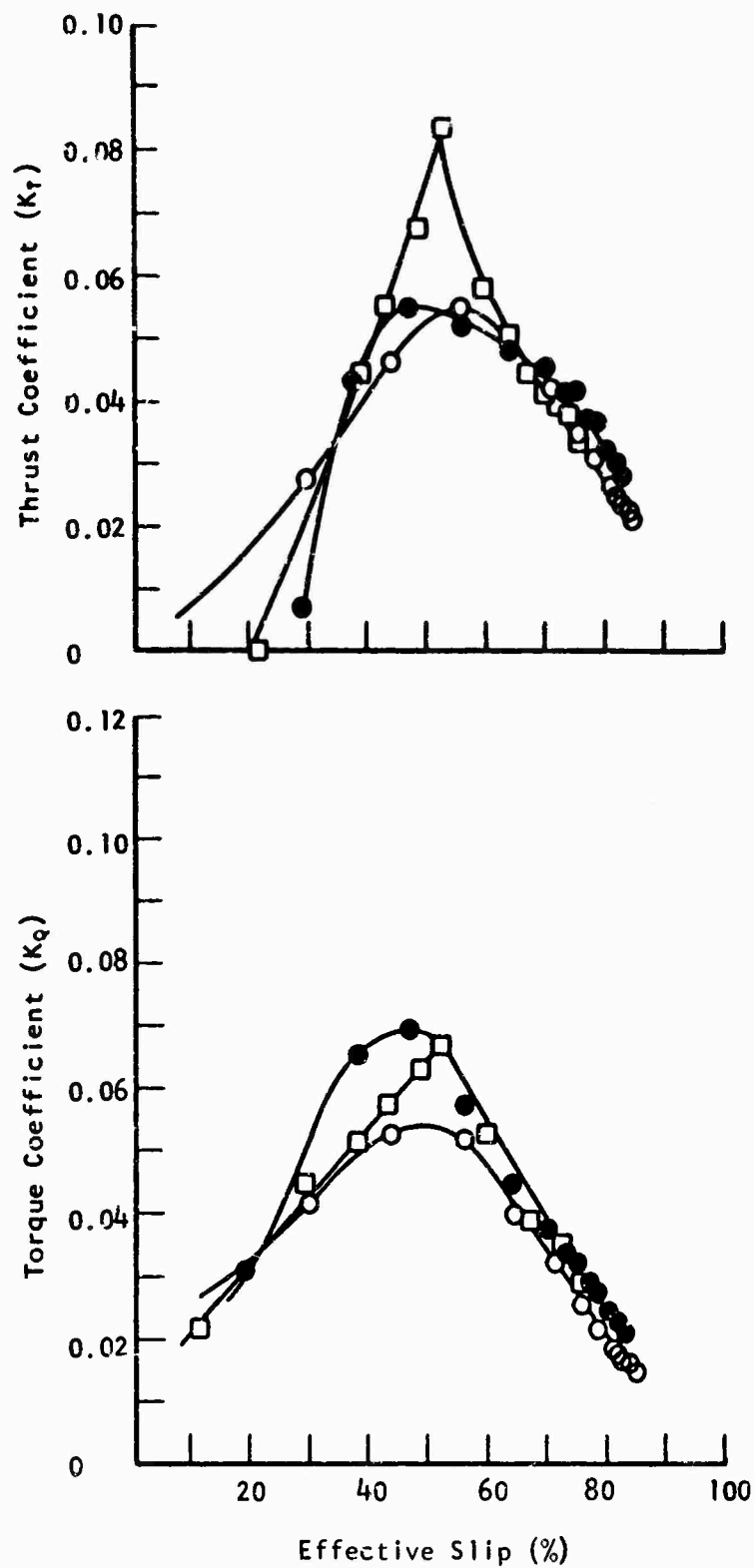


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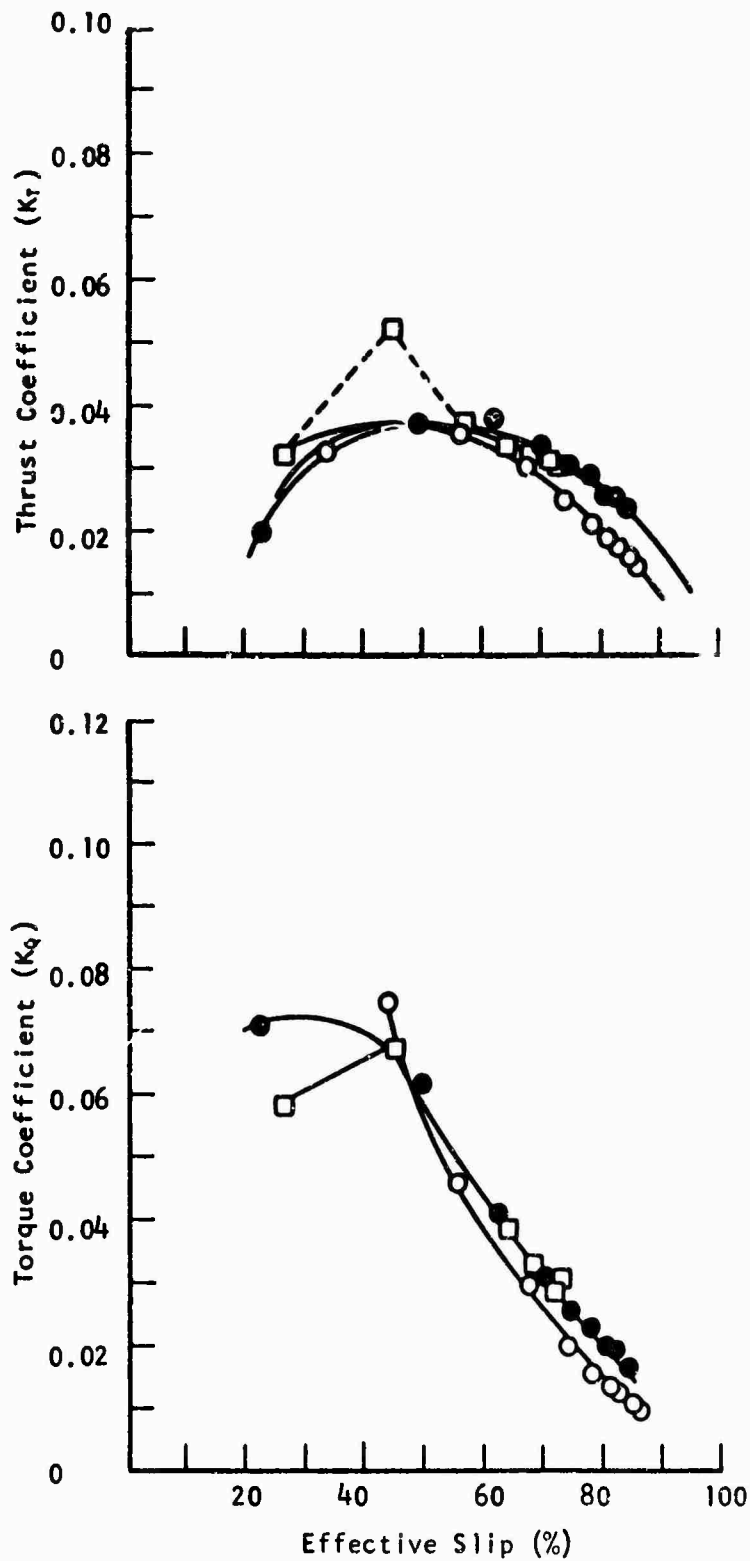


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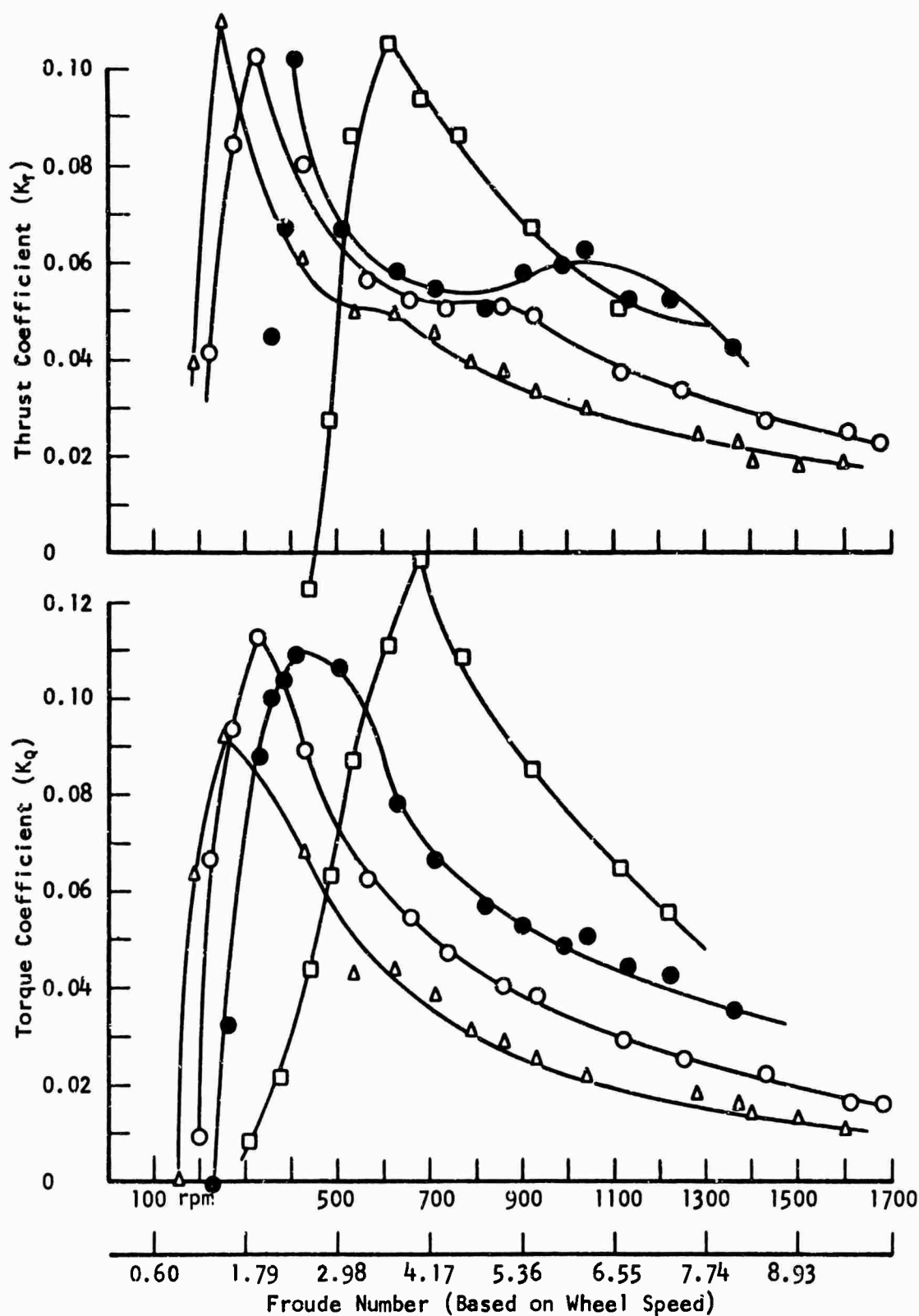


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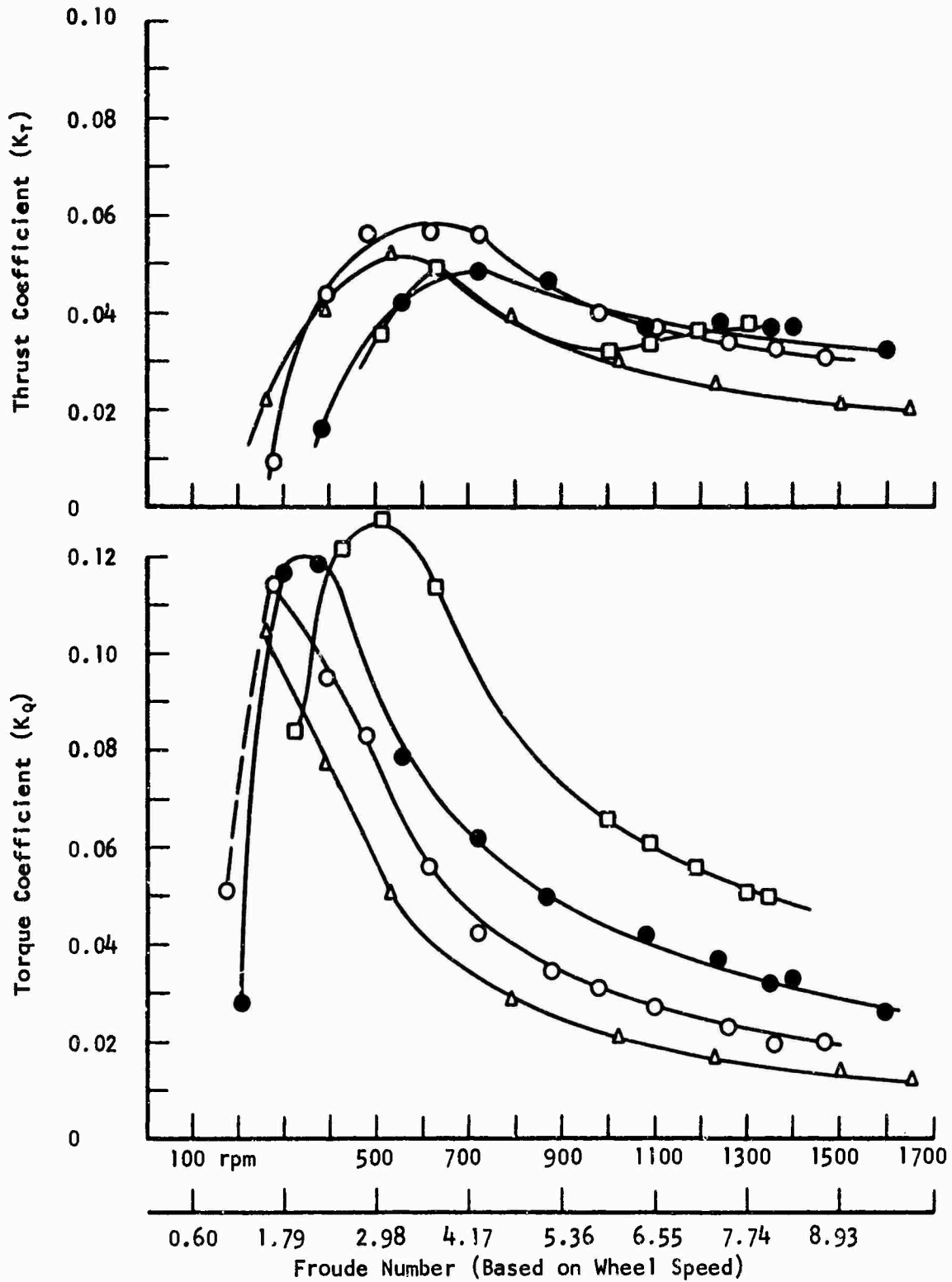


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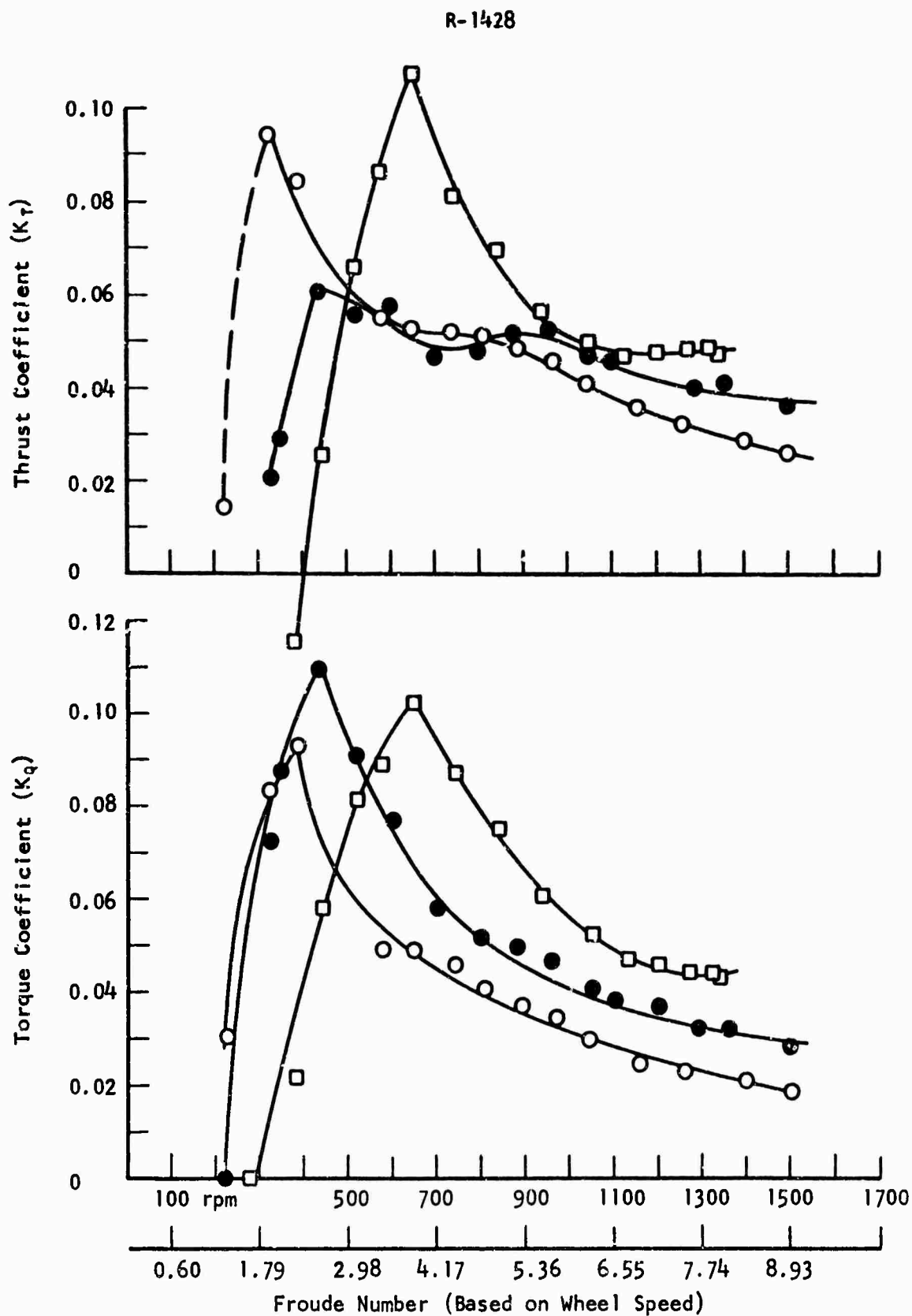


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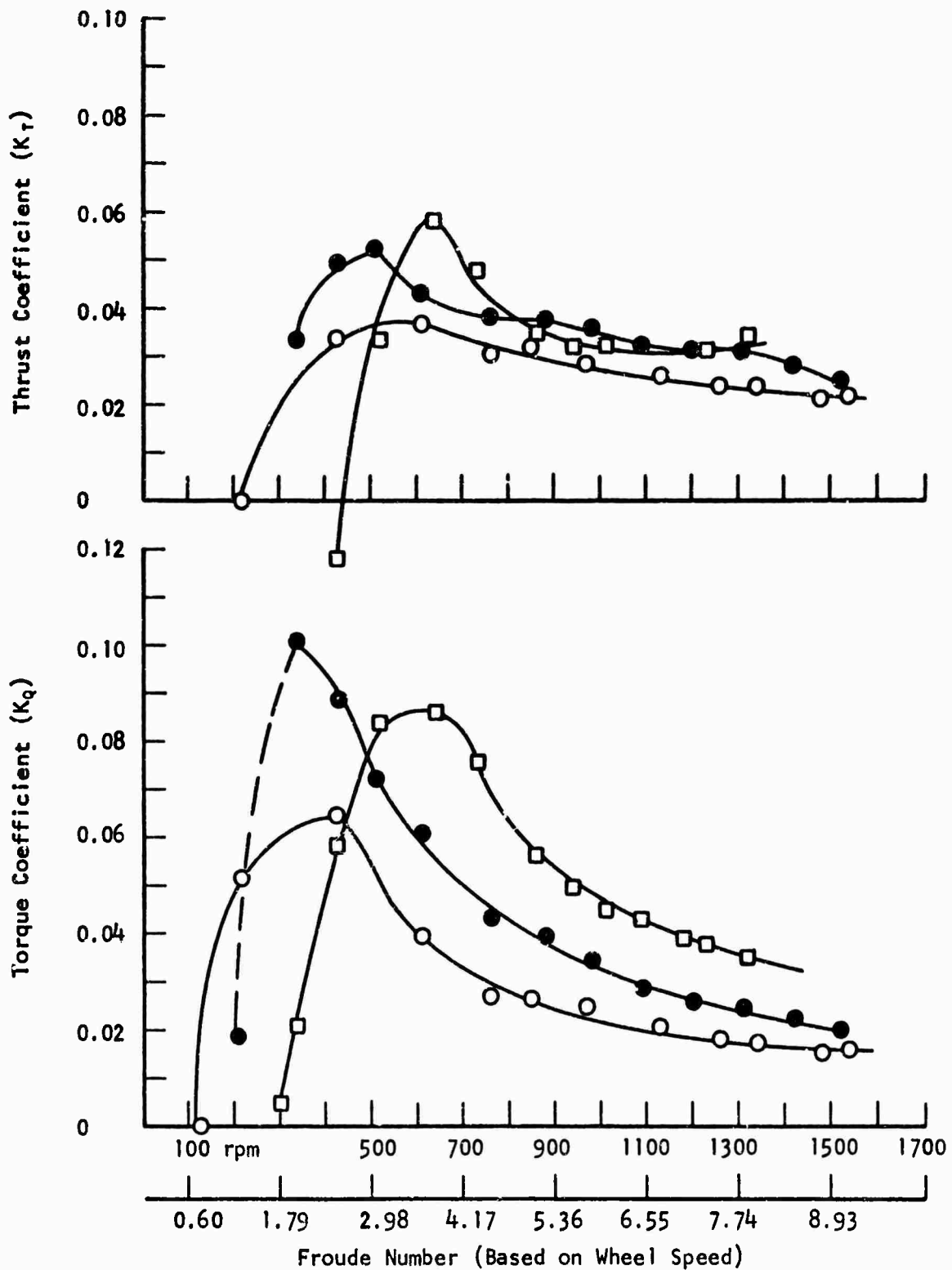


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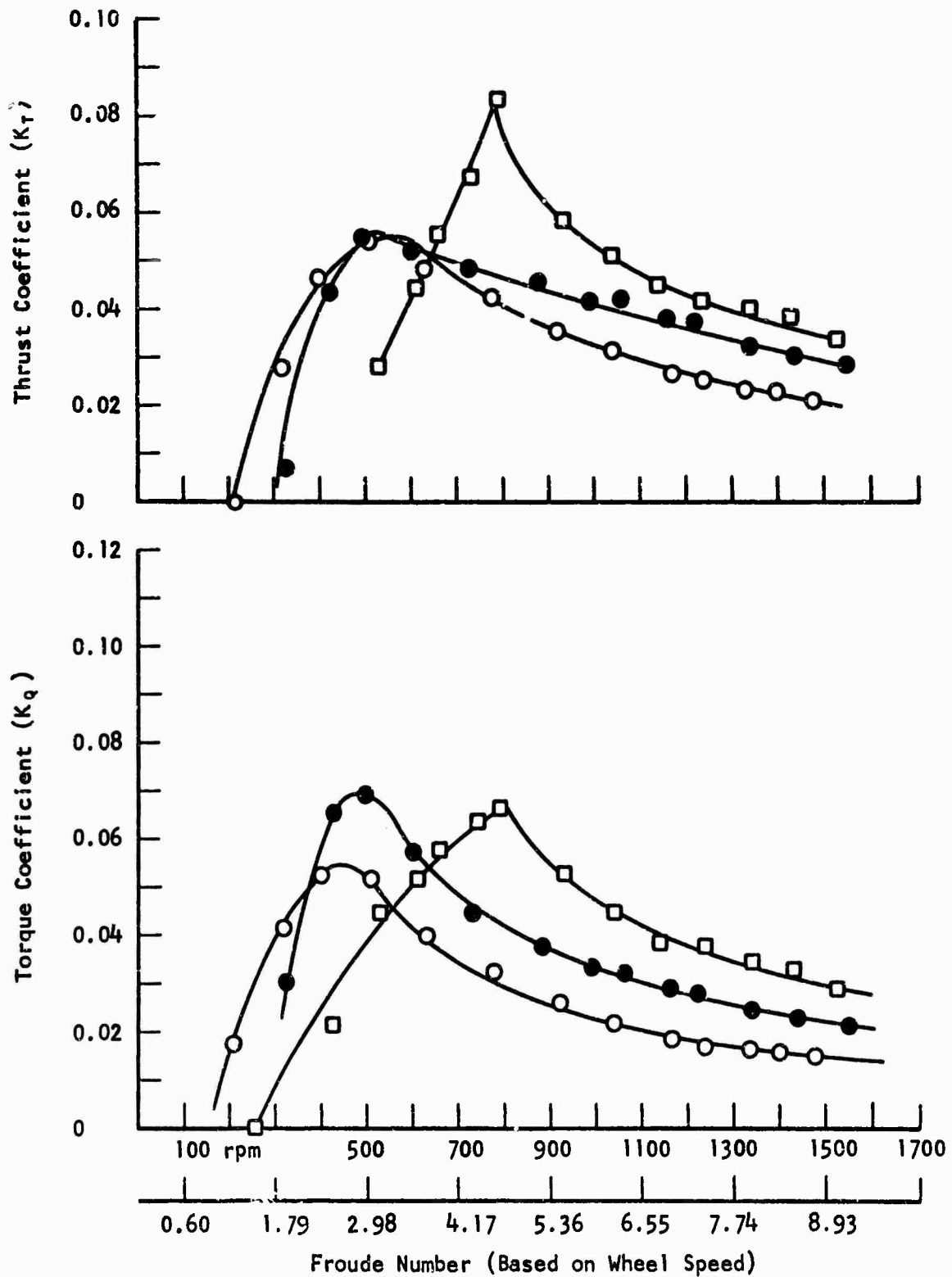


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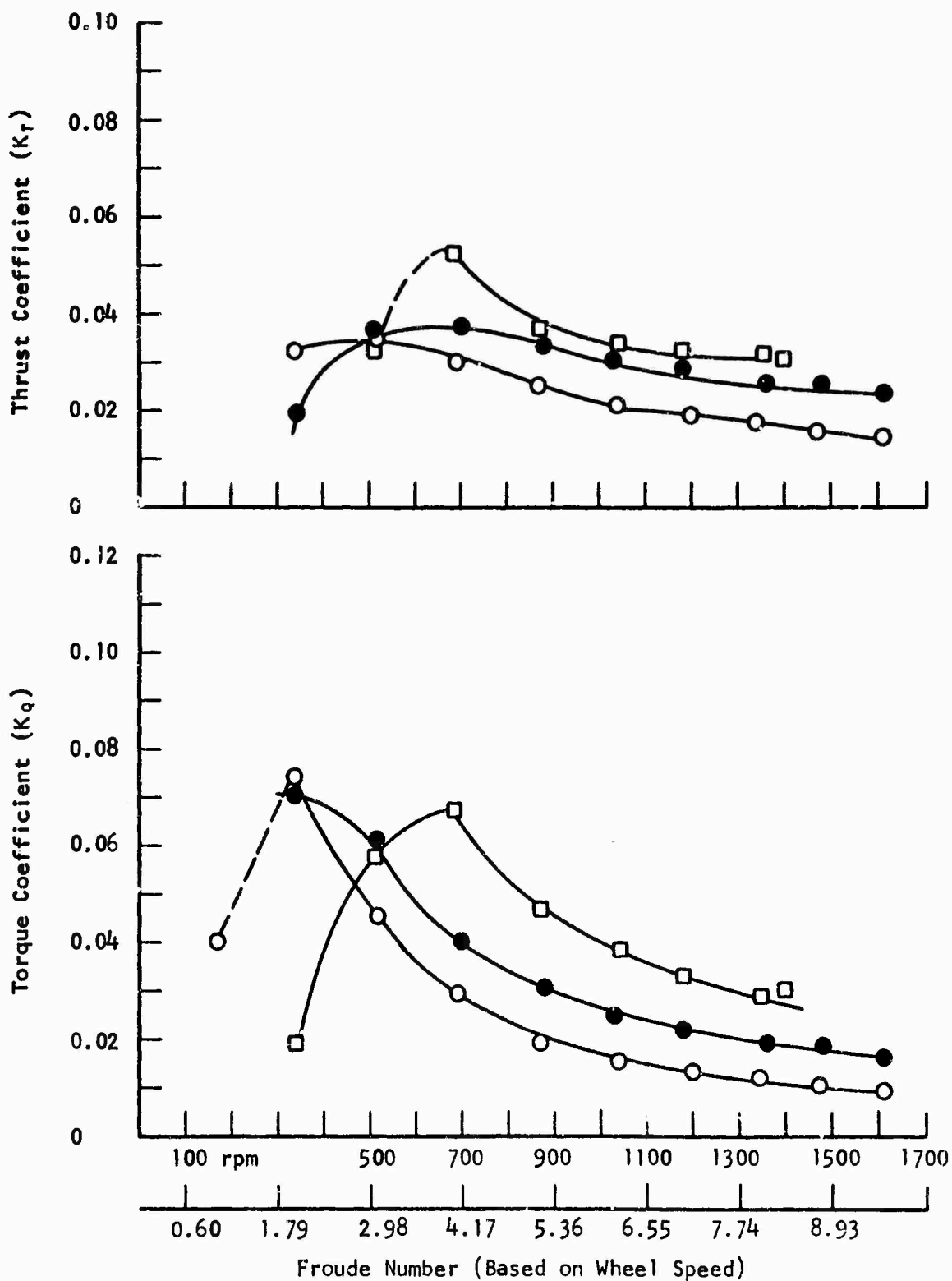


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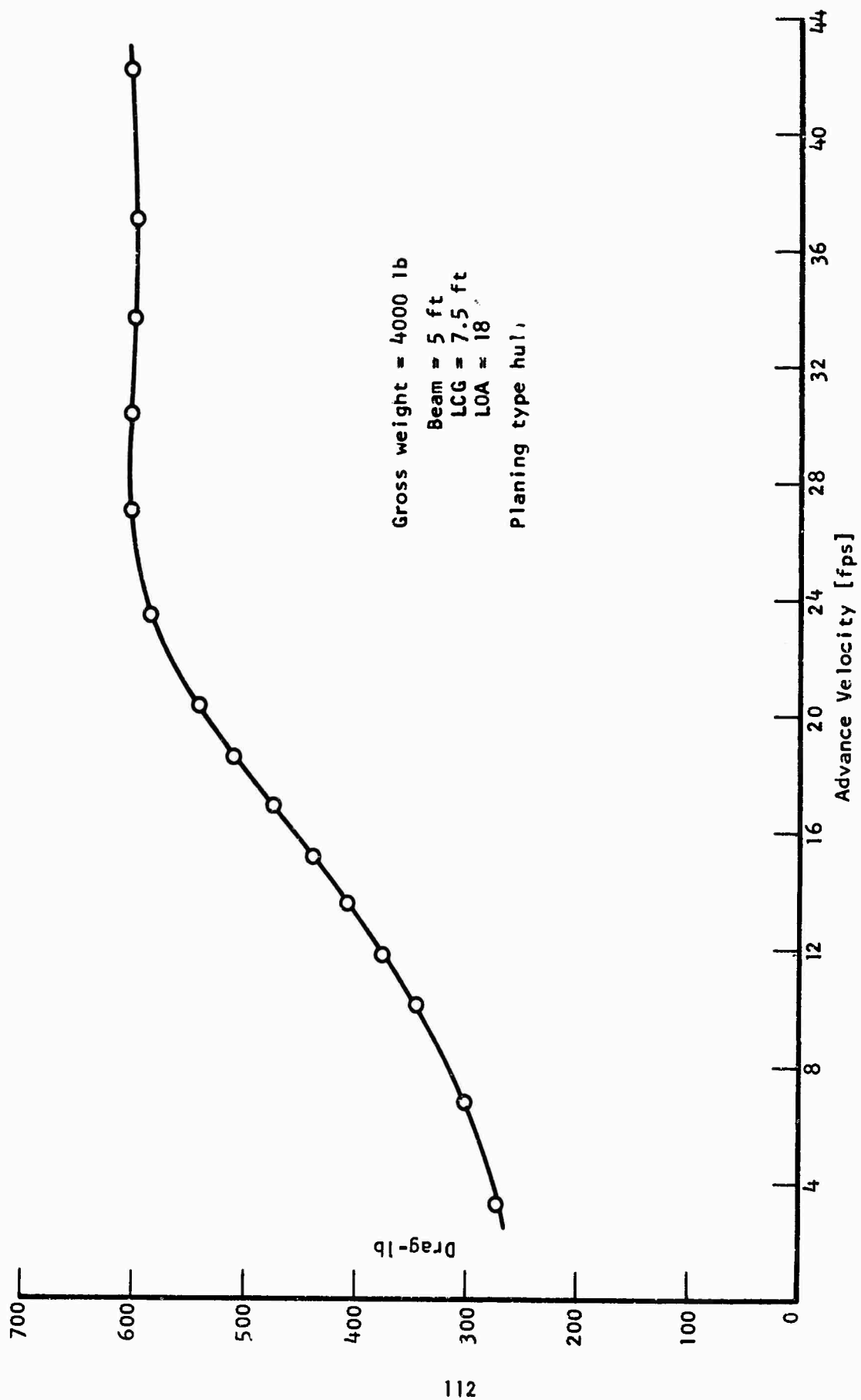


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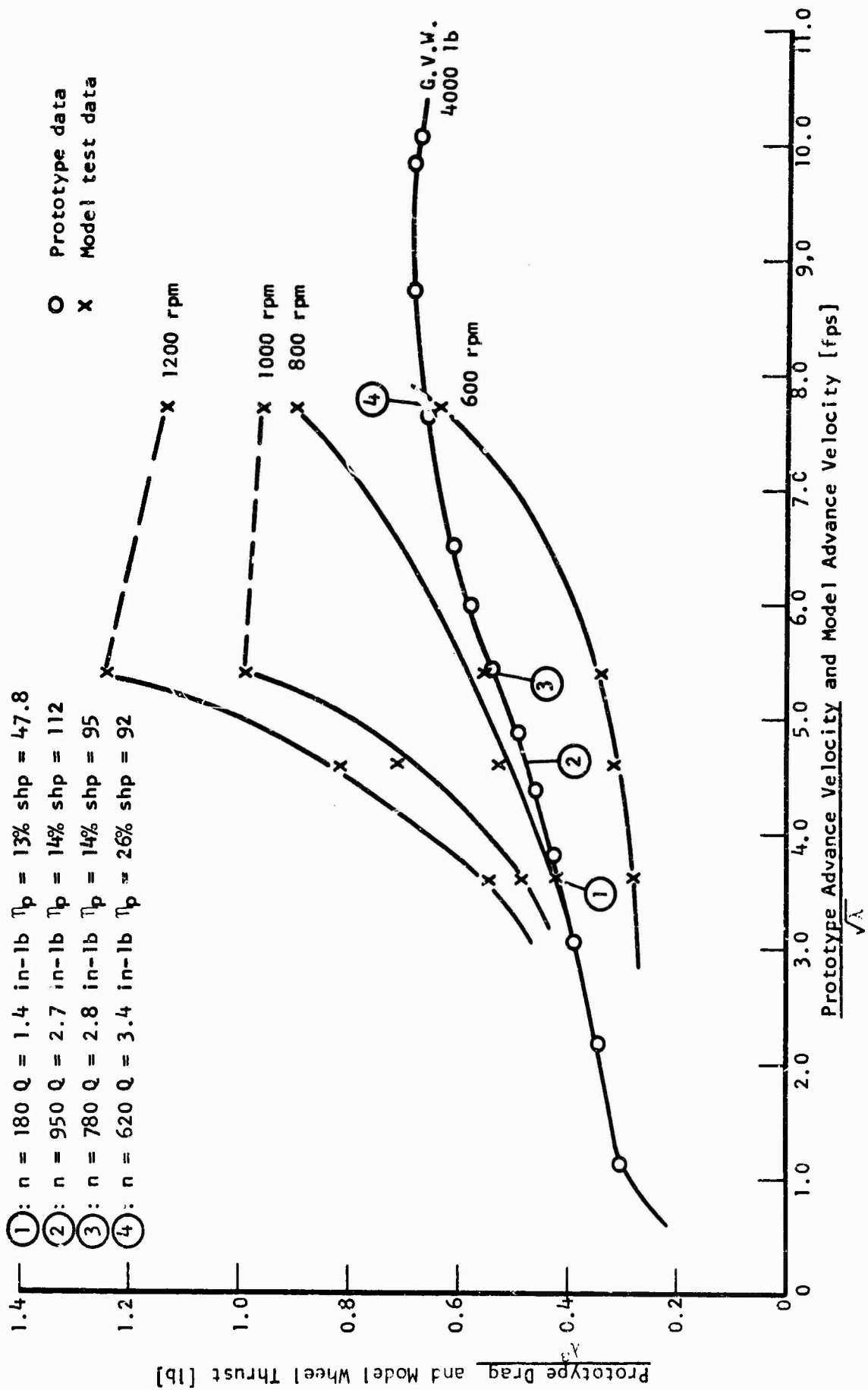


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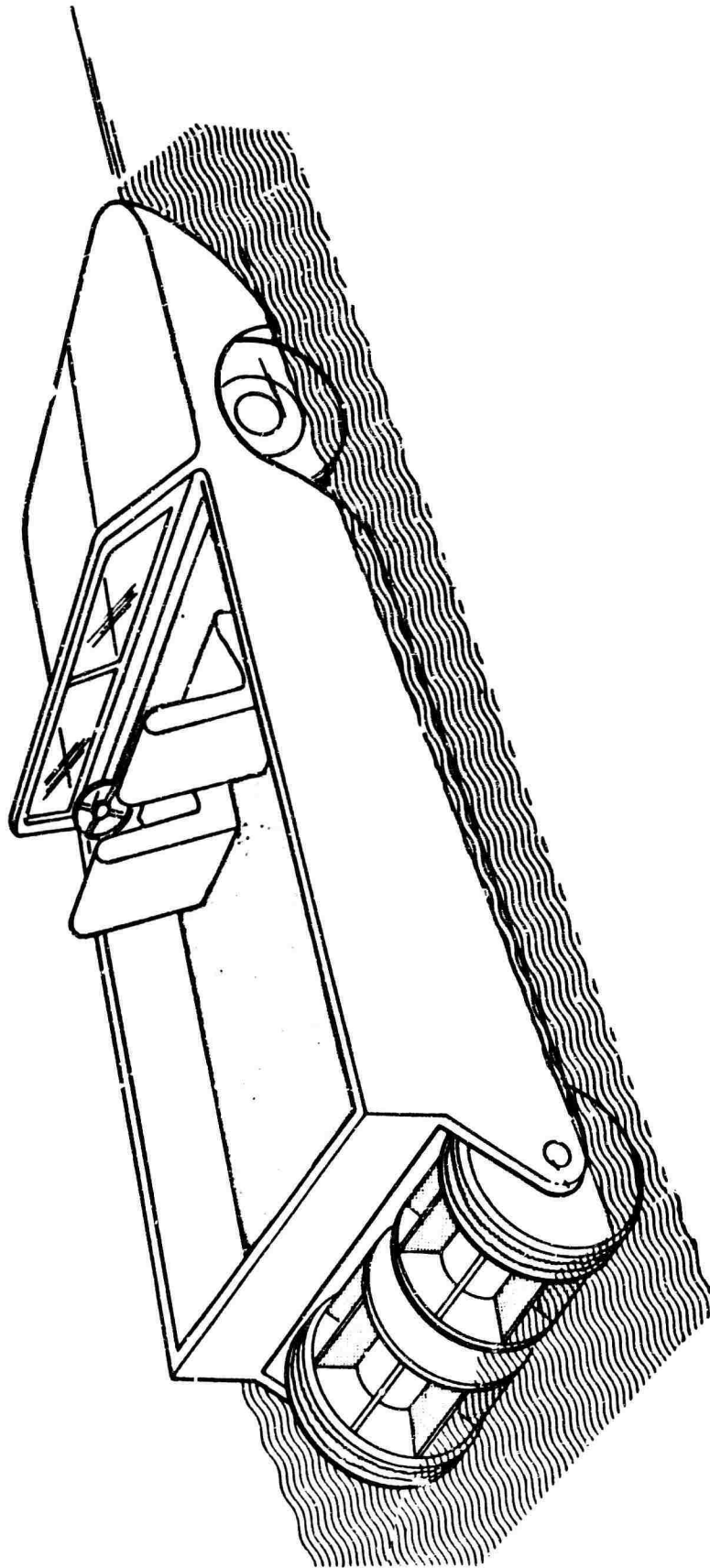


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